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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

JANUARY 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of January 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,076,429,493
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$479,949,862
Other Receipts .....	98,471,867
Total Receipts .....	\$6,654,851,222
UC Benefits Paid .....	\$6,134,217,212
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid .....	\$189,398,526
UCFE Benefits Paid .....	\$83,581,314

Applications for Work Taken .....	19,998,310
Job Placements Made .....	14,524,578 <sup>a/</sup>
Employer Reports Received .....	27,655,011
Wage Records Received .....	480,003,137
No. UC Payments Made .....	200,903,288
No. UCX Payments Made .....	4,349,588
No. UCFE Payments Made .....	2,018,452

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-December 12, 1974

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,151,400
Total Employment .....	4,787,400
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,330,100
Other Nonfarm .....	353,600
Farm .....	103,700 <sup>c/</sup>
Total Unemployment .....	364,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.1

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$425.4 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$530.9 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$439.7 million (as of 1/31/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.52% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	3.35% (last 12 mos.)

### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3.9 million (12 mo. avg.) <sup>b/</sup>
Employers .....	193.6 thousand (as of 12/31/74)
Total Wages .....	\$34.5 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.2 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>

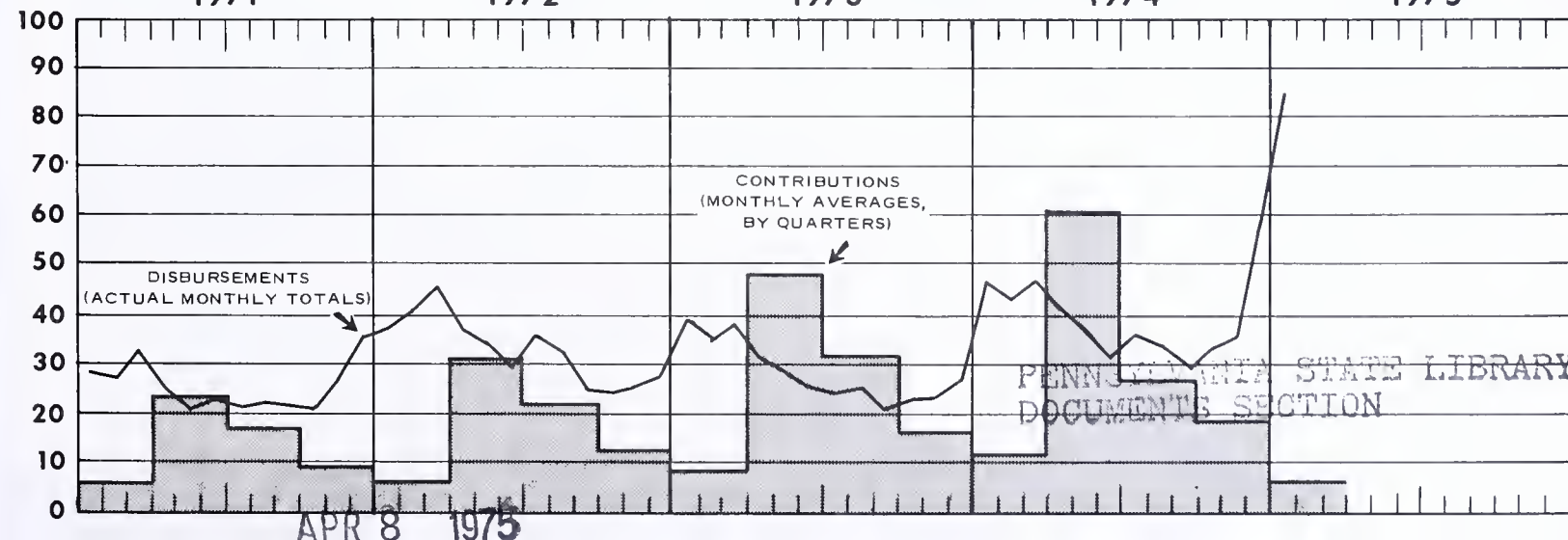
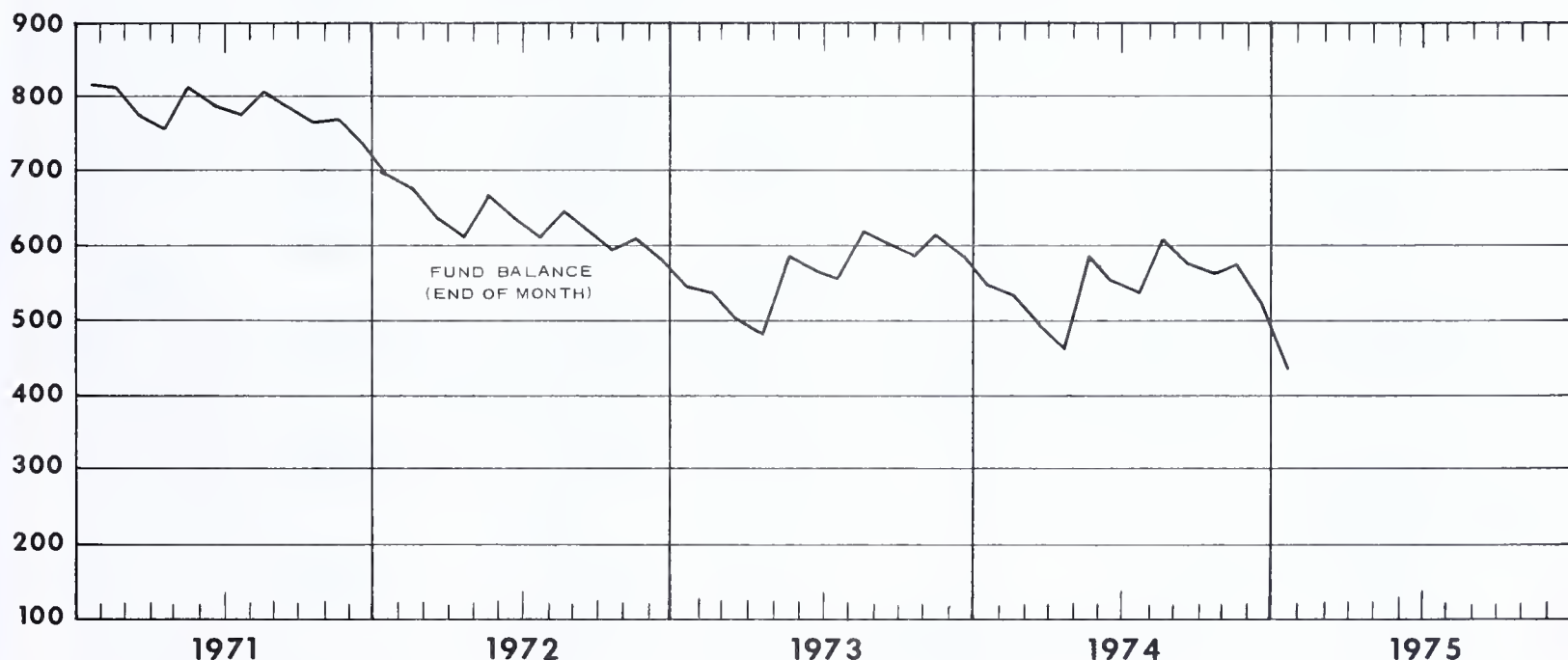
<sup>a/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.

<sup>b/</sup> 12-month period July 1973 - June 1974.

<sup>c/</sup> Excludes persons employed in both farm and nonfarm industries.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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# EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	January 1975	January 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	226,686	268,526	-15.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	446,715	519,197	-14.0
Disadvantaged	142,257	147,523	- 3.6
Negro	96,916	111,651	-13.2
Handicapped	38,404	52,902	-27.4
Veteran	81,440	100,280	-18.8
Handicapped Veteran	11,522	15,663	-26.4
Vietnam Era	46,314	50,664	- 8.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	30,218	35,351	-14.5
Disadvantaged	15,358	16,534	- 7.1
Negro	7,033	9,321	-24.5
Handicapped	8,400	9,602	-12.5
Veteran	8,354	8,992	- 7.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	15,328	21,212	-27.7
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	147,215	206,733	-28.8
Nonagricultural	144,430	198,184	-27.1
Agricultural	2,785	8,549	-67.4
<u>Openings Unfilled (As of End of Current Month)</u>	9,005	37,072	-75.7
Nonagricultural	8,978	36,135	-75.2
Agricultural	27	937	-97.1
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	87,036	89,130	- 2.4
Nonagricultural	85,866	87,966	- 2.4
Disadvantaged	18,242	15,067	+21.1
Negro	16,343	16,202	+ 0.9
Handicapped	6,091	7,584	-19.7
Veteran	14,690	15,728	- 6.6
Handicapped Veteran	2,042	2,272	-10.1
Vietnam Era	10,182	10,292	- 1.1
Short Time	5,975	6,502	- 8.1
Disadvantaged	750	722	+ 3.9
Negro	1,188	1,351	-12.1
Agricultural	1,361	1,389	- 2.0
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	109,437	120,809	- 9.4
Nonagricultural	106,439	113,114	- 5.9
Agricultural	2,998	7,695	-61.0
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	34,528	46,939	-26.4
Disadvantaged	10,152	12,551	-19.1
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	47,092	52,819	-10.8
To Major Employers	16,168	17,506	- 7.6
Agricultural Employer Visits	786	1,757	-55.3
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	38,919	47,176	-17.5

<sup>1/</sup> Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES

Activity	January 1975	December 1974	January 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$6,825,514	\$1,441,616	\$5,694,433	\$6,825,514	\$5,694,433	+19.9
Contributions	6,825,514	1,429,626	5,694,433	6,825,514	5,694,433	+19.9
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	--
Other	0	11,990	0	0	0	--
<u>Benefit Payments - Net</u>	\$84,330,619	\$57,643,510	\$46,803,961	\$84,330,619	\$46,803,961	+80.2
Gross Amount	84,431,953	57,747,861	46,861,547	84,431,953	46,861,547	+80.2
Total Unemployment	77,329,803	53,333,347	42,608,923	77,329,803	42,608,923	+81.5
Partial Unemployment	7,102,150	4,414,514	4,252,624	7,102,150	4,252,624	+67.0
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$439,670,584	\$520,728,449	\$545,146,571	\$439,670,584	\$545,146,571	-19.3
<u>Extended Benefits</u>						
Gross Amount	\$3,554,530	\$3,241	\$42	\$3,554,530	\$42	*
Net Amount	3,552,760	-169	-1,807	3,552,760	-1,807	*
Total No. Payments	48,155	43	1	48,155	1	*
<u>Benefit Payments</u>						
Total Number	1,210,120	846,439	719,597	1,210,120	719,597	+68.2
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>	1,204,260	842,168	714,603	1,204,260	714,603	+68.5
Total Unemployment	1,029,813	718,682	593,413	1,029,813	593,413	+73.5
Partial Unemployment	174,447	123,486	121,190	174,447	121,190	+43.9
Average Weekly Number	261,796	191,402	155,348	261,796	155,348	+68.5
<u>Average Payment</u>	\$70.11	\$68.57	\$65.58	\$70.11	\$65.58	+ 6.9
Total Unemployment	75.09	74.21	71.80	75.09	71.80	+ 4.6
Partial Unemployment	40.71	35.75	35.09	40.71	35.09	+16.0
<u>First Payments</u>	127,683	71,924	74,048	127,683	74,048	+72.4
<u>Final Payments</u>	9,230	8,216	6,163	9,230	6,163	+49.8
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>	241,006	235,113	140,173	241,006	140,173	+71.9
New	156,829	120,466	88,176	156,829	88,176	+77.9
Additional	84,177	114,647	51,997	84,177	51,997	+61.9
<u>Financial Determinations</u>	163,422	110,389	95,713	163,422	95,713	+70.7
Eligible	138,727	98,443	79,771	138,727	79,771	+73.9
Ineligible	24,695	11,946	15,942	24,695	15,942	+54.9
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>	1,404,476	1,014,033	817,447	1,404,476	817,447	+71.8
Waiting	154,576	94,415	86,981	154,576	86,981	+77.7
Compensable	1,249,900	919,618	730,466	1,249,900	730,466	+71.1
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>	44,814	37,493	27,414	44,814	27,414	+63.5
Applications	6,289	5,626	4,569	6,289	4,569	+37.6
Continued Claims	38,525	31,867	22,845	38,525	22,845	+68.6
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>	37,142	28,405	22,502	37,142	22,502	+65.1
Applications	6,929	5,395	4,021	6,929	4,021	+72.3
Continued Claims	30,213	23,010	18,481	30,213	18,481	+63.5
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>	2,069	1,780	1,455	2,069	1,455	+42.2
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>	28	26	31	28	31	- 9.7
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>	NA	193,631	194,027	NA	194,027	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JANUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	42,412	155,524	27.3
Construction	41,668	211,993	19.7
Textile Products	12,236	62,026	19.7
Leather Products	4,540	23,411	19.4
Tobacco Mfg.	1,223	6,724	18.2
Stone, Clay & Glass	9,410	67,744	13.9
Misc. Manufacturing	3,775	28,459	13.3
Furniture & Fixtures	3,546	28,996	12.2
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,813	15,286	11.9
Transp. Equipment	7,850	73,834	10.6
Paper & Allied Prod.	4,601	46,192	10.0
Elec. Equip. & Supply	14,091	151,150	9.3

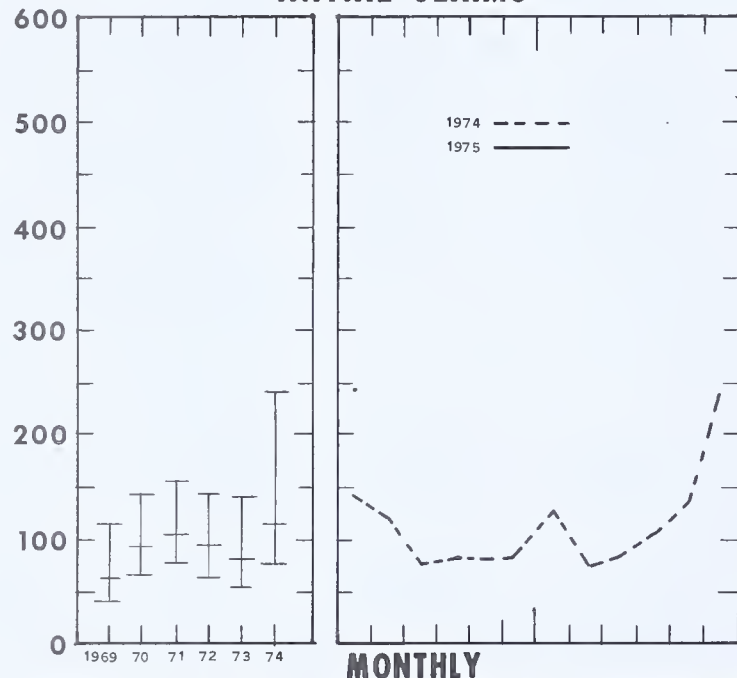
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

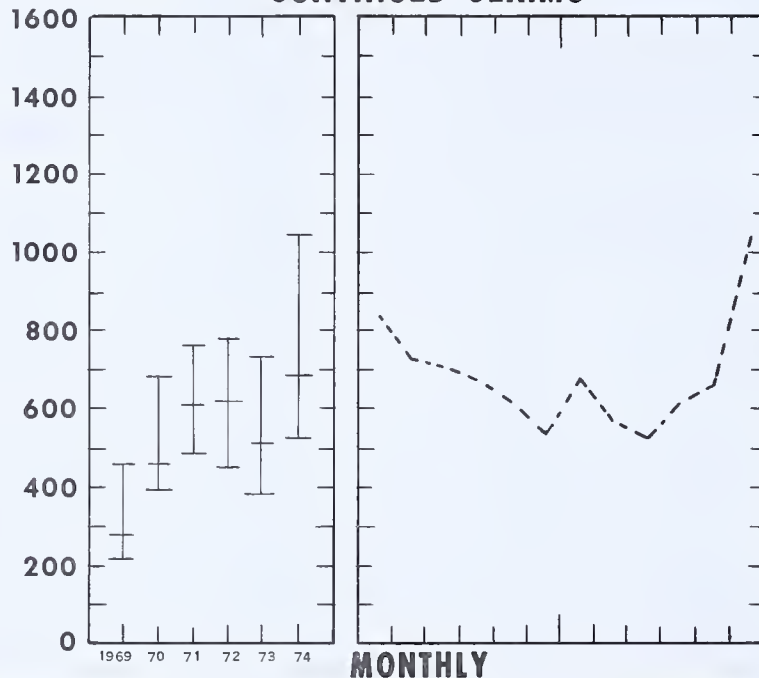
Activity	January 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,791,575	\$2,791,575
Gross Amount	2,797,818	2,797,818
Total Unemployment	2,727,108	2,727,108
Benefit Payments-Total No.	41,682	41,682
Weeks Compensated	41,464	41,464
Total Unemployment	39,787	39,787
Average Payment	\$67.48	\$67.48
First Payments	1,840	1,840
Final Payments	505	505
Initial Claims	2,391	2,391
Continued Claims	34,363	34,363
Benefit Appeals Received	71	71

## ACTIVIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1969 TO DATE

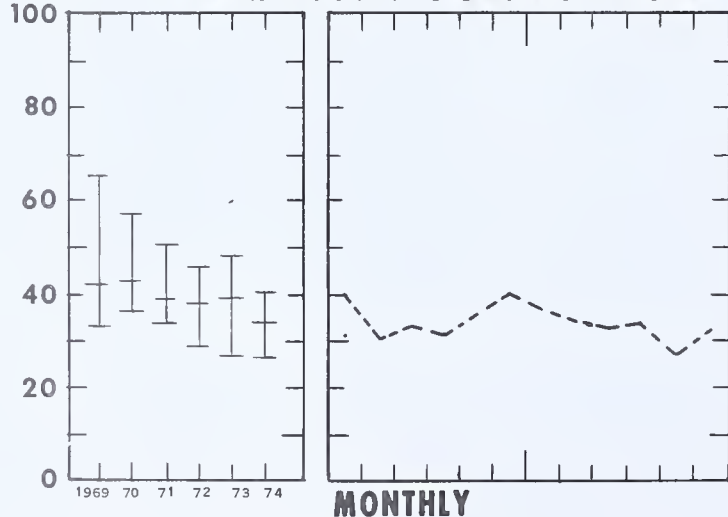
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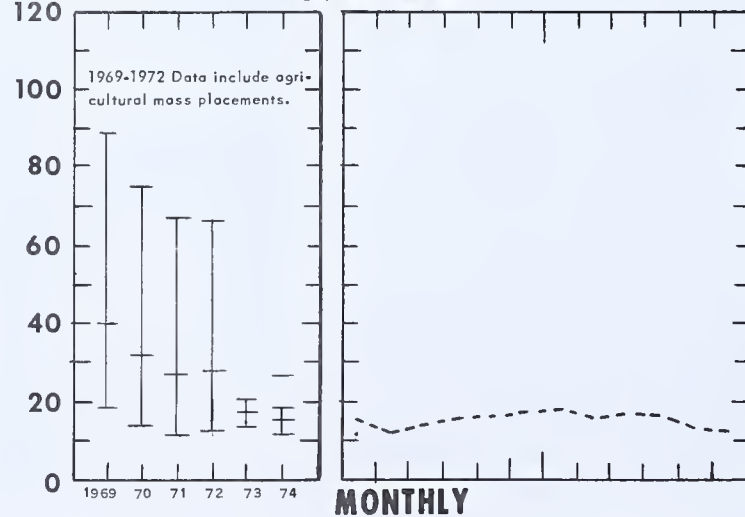
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THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK



THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS



Tables and charts on these pages include the principal statistics of current significance relating to the operation of the employment service and unemployment compensation programs. The data concerning the various activities of the Bureau are derived from periodic reports collected from the offices of the Pennsylvania State Employment Service and the various divisions responsible for the administration of the Pennsylvania U.C. Law.

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FEBRUARY 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of February 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,105,354,127
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$488,319,889
Other Receipts .....	\$94,472,678
Total Receipts .....	\$6,688,146,694
UC Benefits Paid .....	\$6,228,204,184
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid .....	\$191,279,316
UCFE Benefits Paid .....	\$84,595,362

Applications for Work Taken .....	20,028,605
Job Placements Made .....	14,531,254 <sup>a/</sup>
Employer Reports Received .....	27,788,248
Wage Records Received .....	481,291,337
No. UC Payments Made .....	202,199,674
No. UCX Payments Made .....	4,376,443
No. UCFE Payments Made .....	2,034,533

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-January 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,058,900
Total Employment .....	4,627,900
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,189,500
Other Nonfarm .....	338,400
Farm .....	100,000 <sup>c/</sup>
Total Unemployment .....	431,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.5

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$424.8 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$581.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$379.0 million (as of 2/28/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.54% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	3.64% (last 12 mos.)

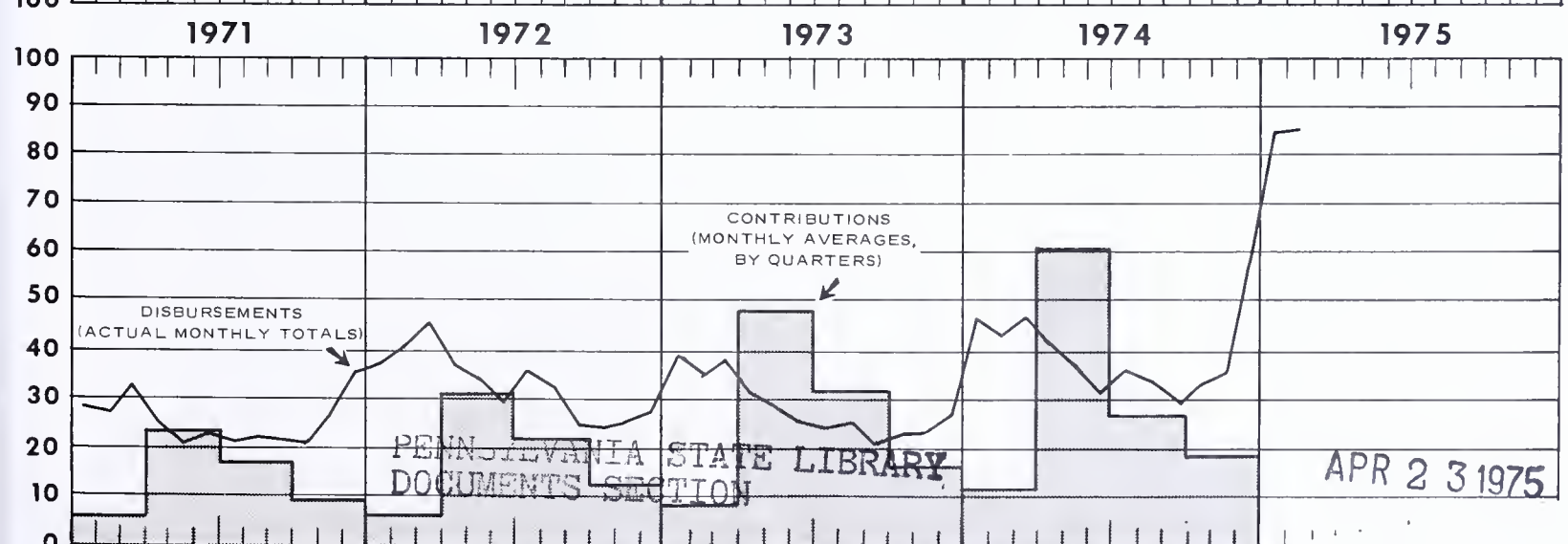
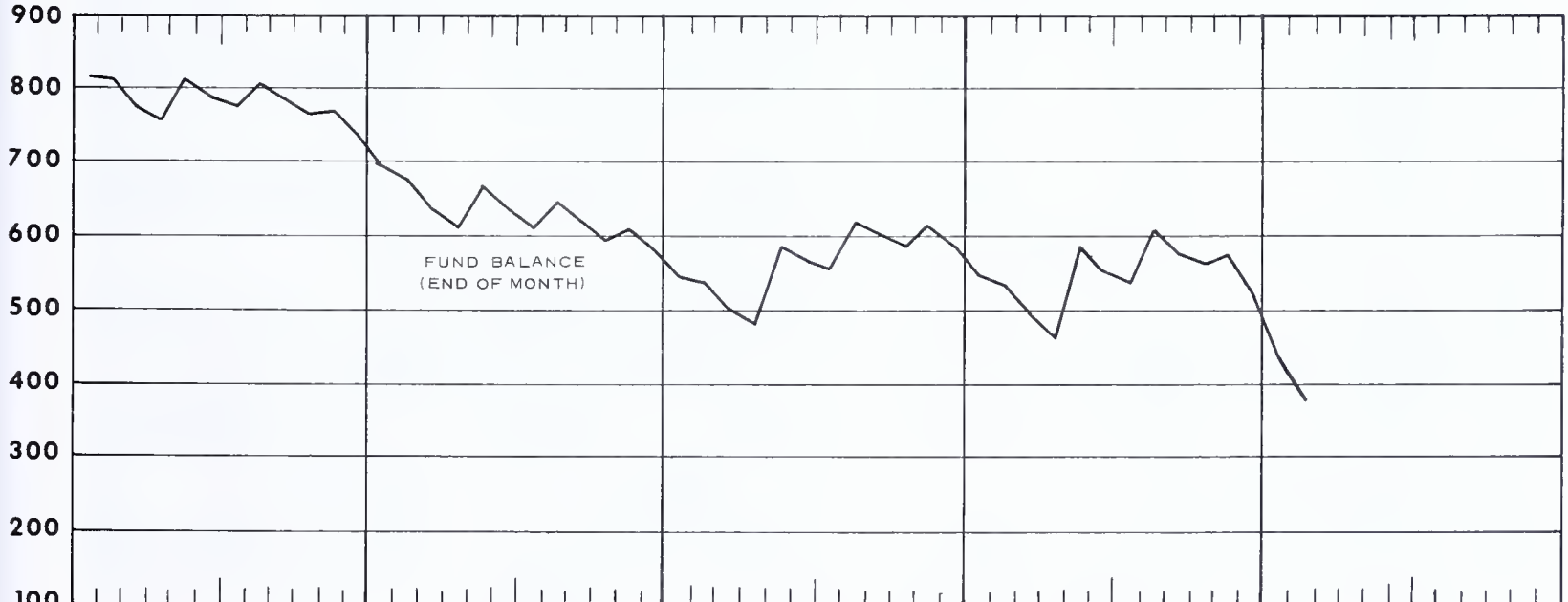
### U.C. Covered Statistics

- <sup>a/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.  
<sup>b/</sup> 12-month period October 1973 - September 1974.  
<sup>c/</sup> Excludes persons employed in both farm and nonfarm industries.

Employment .....	3.9 million (12 mo. avg.) <sup>b/</sup>
Employers .....	192.9 thousand (as of 1/31/75)
Total Wages .....	\$35.3 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.1 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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# EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	February 1975	February 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	254,028	298,861	-15.0
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	474,191	548,963	-13.6
Disadvantaged	149,205	155,143	- 3.8
Negro	100,472	116,834	-14.0
Handicapped	40,608	55,615	-27.0
Veteran	88,108	106,188	-17.0
Handicapped Veteran	12,280	16,545	-25.8
Vietnam Era	49,986	53,554	- 6.7
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	33,756	39,725	-15.0
Disadvantaged	17,265	18,673	- 7.5
Negro	7,751	10,384	-25.4
Handicapped	9,277	10,650	-12.9
Veteran	9,402	10,111	- 7.0
<u>Persons Tested</u>	17,116	23,721	-27.8
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	161,086	234,533	-31.3
Nonagricultural	158,213	225,728	-29.9
Agricultural	2,873	8,805	-67.4
<u>Openings Unfilled (As of End of Current Month)</u>	9,800	43,920	-77.7
Nonagricultural	9,751	43,017	-77.3
Agricultural	49	903	-94.6
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	93,674	96,739	- 3.2
Nonagricultural	92,477	95,544	- 3.2
Disadvantaged	19,722	16,487	+19.6
Negro	17,412	17,486	- 0.4
Handicapped	6,604	8,245	-19.9
Veteran	16,227	17,267	- 6.0
Handicapped Veteran	2,246	2,495	-10.0
Vietnam Era	11,265	11,288	- 0.2
Short Time	6,438	7,286	-11.6
Disadvantaged	838	794	+ 5.5
Negro	1,257	1,435	-12.4
Agricultural	1,406	1,451	- 3.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	119,478	132,398	- 9.8
Nonagricultural	116,434	124,453	- 6.4
Agricultural	3,044	7,945	-61.7
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	37,486	52,213	-28.2
Disadvantaged	11,300	14,082	-19.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	53,885	58,689	- 8.2
To Major Employers	18,483	19,468	- 5.1
Agricultural Employer Visits	840	1,802	-53.4
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	45,356	53,977	-16.0

1/ Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES

Activity	February 1975	January 1975	February 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$33,295,472	\$6,825,514	\$33,925,137	\$40,120,986	\$39,619,571	+ 1.3
Contributions	28,924,634	6,825,514	26,790,133	35,750,148	32,484,567	+10.1
Interest	8,370,028	0	8,209,341	8,370,028	8,209,341	+ 2.0
Other	-3,999,190	0	-1,074,337	-3,999,190	-1,074,337	*
<u>Benefit Payments - Net</u>	\$85,911,638	\$84,330,619	\$43,600,102	\$170,242,257	\$90,404,063	+88.3
Gross Amount	86,128,430	84,431,953	43,700,884	170,560,383	90,562,431	+88.3
Total Unemployment	81,124,184	77,329,803	40,850,556	158,453,987	83,459,479	+89.9
Partial Unemployment	5,004,246	7,102,150	2,850,328	12,106,396	7,102,952	+70.4
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$378,979,085	\$439,670,584	\$535,471,111	\$378,979,085	\$535,471,111	-29.2
<u>Extended Benefits</u>						
Gross Amount	\$8,078,768	\$3,554,530	\$540	\$11,633,298	\$582	*
Net Amount	8,075,333	3,552,760	496	11,628,093	-1,311	*
Total No. Payments	113,193	48,155	9	161,348	10	*
<u>Benefit Payments</u>						
Total Number	1,185,172	1,210,120	646,518	2,395,292	1,366,115	+75.3
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>	1,177,947	1,204,260	639,915	2,382,207	1,354,518	+75.9
Total Unemployment	1,041,272	1,029,813	555,226	2,071,085	1,148,639	+80.3
Partial Unemployment	136,675	174,447	84,689	311,122	205,879	+51.1
Average Weekly Number	294,487	261,796	159,979	277,001	157,502	+75.9
<u>Average Payment</u>	\$73.12	\$70.11	\$68.29	\$71.60	\$66.86	+ 7.1
Total Unemployment	77.91	75.09	73.57	76.51	72.66	+ 5.3
Partial Unemployment	36.61	40.71	33.66	38.91	34.50	+12.8
<u>First Payments</u>	90,546	127,683	56,998	218,229	131,046	+66.5
<u>Final Payments</u>	8,823	9,230	5,472	18,053	11,635	+55.2
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>	160,567	241,006	117,517	401,573	257,690	+55.8
New	90,883	156,829	69,736	247,712	157,912	+56.9
Additional	69,684	84,177	47,781	153,861	99,778	+54.2
<u>Financial Determinations</u>	93,250	163,422	71,427	256,672	167,140	+53.6
Eligible	79,762	138,727	61,653	218,489	141,424	+54.5
Ineligible	13,488	24,695	9,774	38,183	25,716	+48.5
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>	1,292,919	1,404,476	707,351	2,697,395	1,524,798	+76.9
Waiting	92,615	154,576	54,513	247,191	141,494	+74.7
Compensable	1,200,304	1,249,900	652,838	2,450,204	1,383,304	+77.1
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>	40,994	44,814	25,598	85,808	53,012	+61.9
Applications	4,280	6,289	3,404	10,569	7,973	+32.6
Continued Claims	36,714	38,525	22,194	75,239	45,039	+67.1
<u>Interstate Penna. Liable</u>	40,546	37,142	20,820	77,688	43,322	+79.3
Applications	5,074	6,929	3,077	12,003	7,098	+69.1
Continued Claims	35,472	30,213	17,743	65,685	36,224	+81.3
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>	2,384	2,069	1,431	4,453	2,886	+54.3
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>	32	28	31	60	62	- 3.2
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>	NA	192,920	193,755	NA	193,755	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-FEBRUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	38,089	152,750	24.9
Construction	52,256	210,846	24.8
Textile Products	12,186	61,014	20.0
Leather Products	4,249	22,678	18.7
Stone, Clay & Glass	9,687	67,860	14.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,127	15,191	14.0
Furniture & Fixtures	3,929	28,401	13.8
Misc. Manufacturing	3,715	28,198	13.2
Trans. Equipment	9,472	73,402	12.9
Paper & Allied Prod.	5,141	46,102	11.2
Truck, & Warehousing	8,186	76,414	10.7
Elec. Equip. & Supply	15,159	150,540	10.1

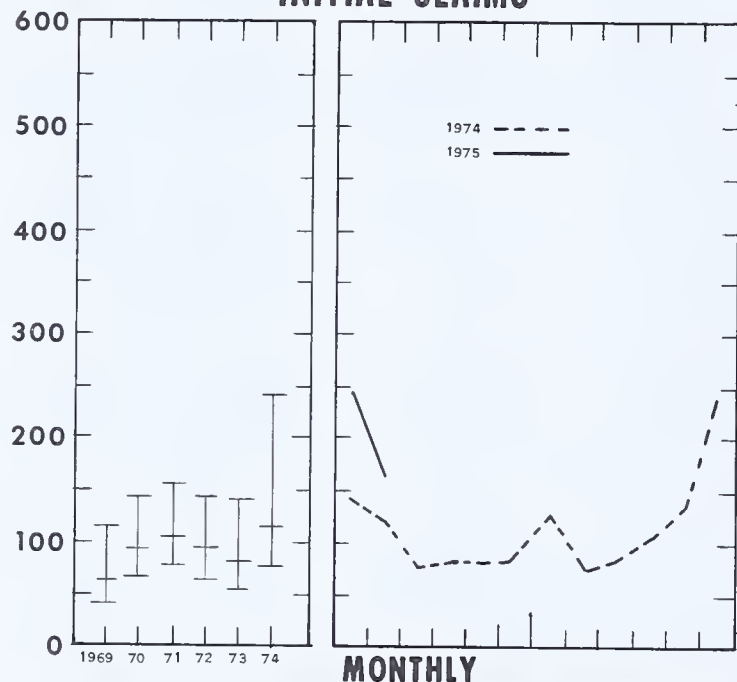
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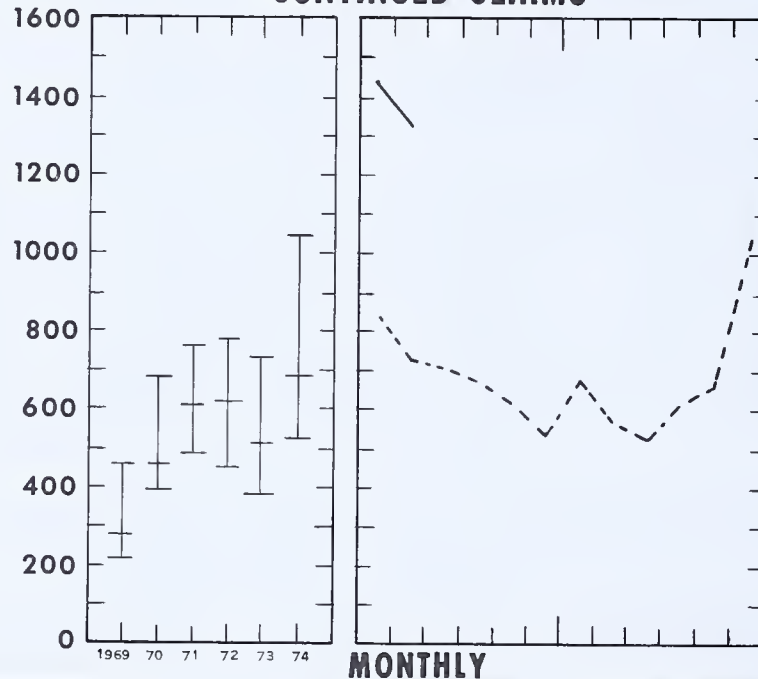
Activity	February 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,468,841	\$5,260,416
Gross Amount	2,477,456	5,275,274
Total Unemployment	2,419,817	5,146,925
Benefit Payments-Total No.	37,179	78,861
Weeks Compensated	36,847	78,311
Total Unemployment	35,489	75,276
Average Payment	\$67.24	\$67.36
First Payments	1,599	3,439
Final Payments	534	1,039
Initial Claims	2,021	4,412
Continued Claims	29,566	63,929
Benefit Appeals Received	75	146

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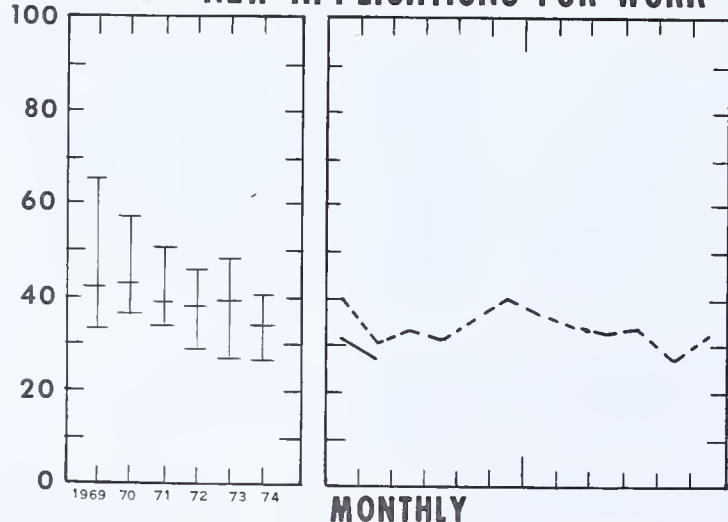
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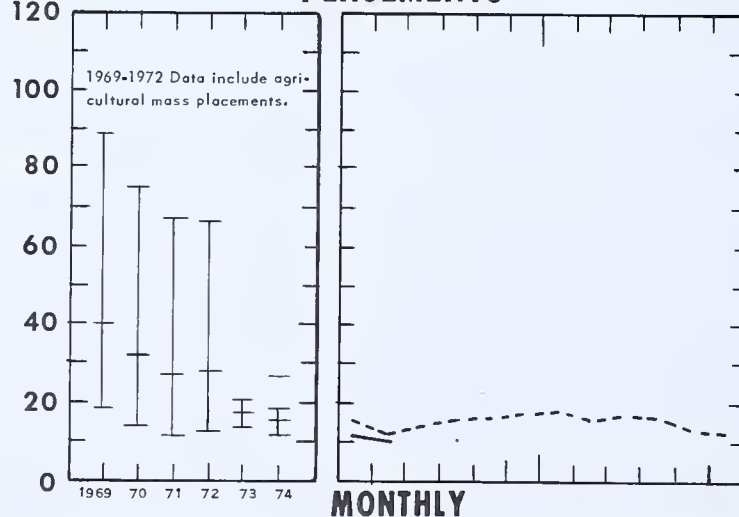
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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS MARCH 1975

THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of March 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,107,144,442	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,060,625
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$488,319,889	Job Placements Made .....	14,538,150 <sup>a/</sup>
Other Receipts .....	\$94,472,678	Employer Reports Received .....	27,798,438
Total Receipts .....	\$6,689,937,009	Wage Records Received .....	483,416,498
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,336,870,168	No. UC Payments Made* .....	203,660,566
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,405,866
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$193,357,674	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,051,589
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$85,677,679		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

Labor Force Statistics-February 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,021,500
Total Employment .....	4,562,500
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,149,900
Other Nonfarm .....	336,100
Farm .....	76,500 <sup>c/</sup>
Total Unemployment .....	459,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force	9.1

Financial Statistics

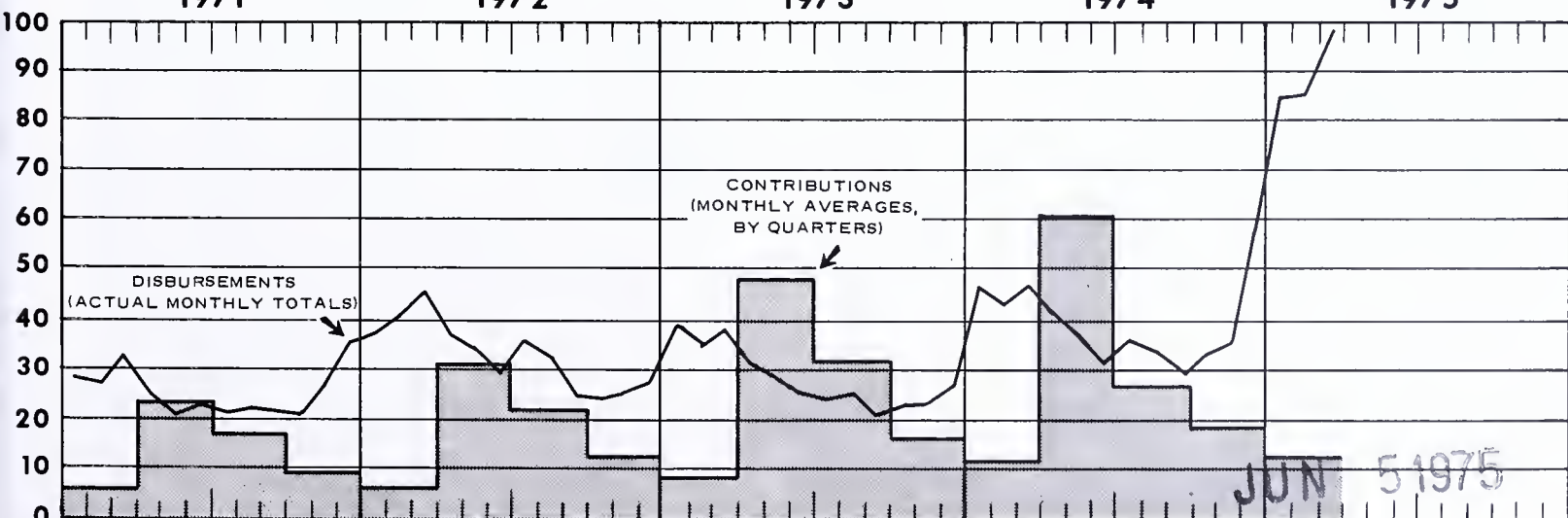
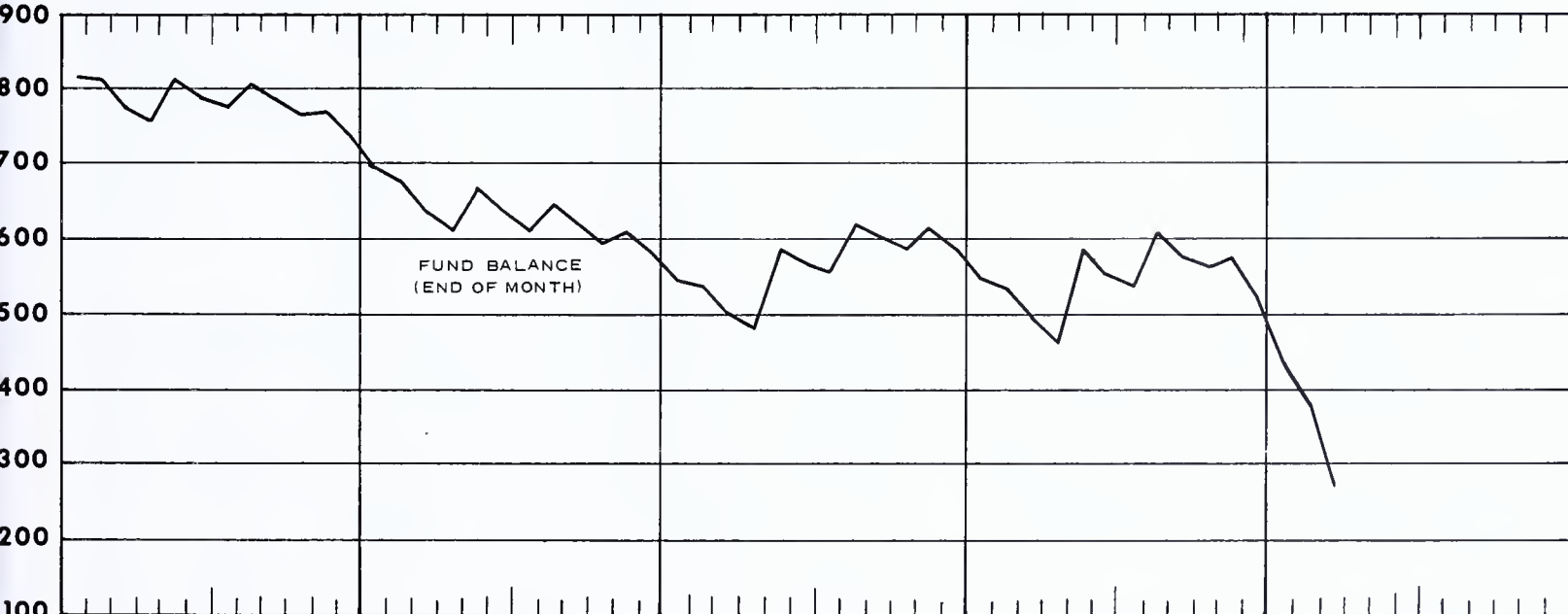
UC Receipts .....	\$425.0 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$643.7 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$272.1 million (as of 3/31/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.55% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	3.99% (last 12 mos.)

U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3.9 million (12 mo. avg.) <sup>b/</sup>
Employers .....	192.4 thousand (as of 2/28/75)
Total Wages .....	\$35.3 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.1 billion per yr. <sup>b/</sup>

<sup>a/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.  
<sup>b/</sup> 12-month period October 1973 - September 1974.  
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Millions of Dollars UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	March 1975	March 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	283,378	332,416	-14.8
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	503,414	581,454	-13.4
Disadvantaged	156,446	162,469	- 3.7
Negro	104,142	121,862	-14.5
Handicapped	42,973	58,361	-26.4
Veteran	95,036	112,226	-15.3
Handicapped Veteran	13,050	17,386	-24.9
Vietnam Era	53,694	56,920	- 5.7
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	37,574	44,666	-15.9
Disadvantaged	19,280	21,305	- 9.5
Negro	8,500	11,674	-27.2
Handicapped	10,256	11,876	-13.6
Veteran	10,450	11,331	- 7.8
<u>Persons Tested</u>	19,025	27,137	-29.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	175,473	262,297	-33.1
Nonagricultural	172,466	252,800	-31.8
Agricultural	3,007	9,497	-68.3
<u>Openings Unfilled (As of End of Current Month)</u>	10,449	31,084	-66.4
Nonagricultural	10,356	29,927	-65.4
Agricultural	93	1,157	-92.0
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	100,561	106,342	- 5.4
Nonagricultural	99,315	105,090	- 5.5
Disadvantaged	21,193	18,438	+14.9
Negro	18,458	19,096	- 3.3
Handicapped	7,124	9,111	-21.8
Veteran	17,838	19,182	- 7.0
Handicapped Veteran	2,456	2,795	-12.1
Vietnam Era	12,393	12,604	- 1.7
Short Time	6,764	7,667	-11.8
Disadvantaged	906	867	+ 4.5
Negro	1,338	1,521	-12.0
Agricultural	1,474	1,558	- 5.4
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	129,698	146,914	-11.7
Nonagricultural	126,584	138,600	- 8.7
Agricultural	3,114	8,314	-62.5
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	40,903	58,217	-29.7
Disadvantaged	12,444	15,884	-21.7
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	61,530	67,203	- 8.4
To Major Employers	21,061	22,598	- 6.8
Agricultural Employer Visits	972	1,931	-49.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	54,384	61,613	-11.7

<sup>1/</sup> Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	March 1975	February 1975	March 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$1,790,315	\$33,295,472	\$1,619,106	\$41,911,301	\$41,238,677	+ 1.6
Contributions	1,790,315	28,924,634	1,619,106	37,540,463	34,103,673	+10.1
Interest	0	8,370,028	0	8,370,028	8,209,341	+ 2.0
Other -	0	-3,999,190	0	-3,999,190	-1,074,337	*
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$99,022,292	\$86,128,430	\$46,383,822	\$269,582,675	\$136,946,253	+96.9
Net Amount	99,015,872	85,911,638	46,253,574	269,258,129	136,657,638	+97.0
Total Unemployment	93,756,412	81,124,184	43,428,599	252,210,399	126,888,078	+98.8
Partial Unemployment	5,265,880	5,004,246	2,955,223	17,372,276	10,058,175	+72.7
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$7,581,759	\$8,075,333	\$-2,609	\$19,209,852	\$-3,920	*
Federal Supplementary Benefits	2,069,055	--	--	2,669,055	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	1,011,964	--	--	1,011,964	--	*
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$272,103,416	\$378,979,085	\$490,839,252	\$272,103,416	\$490,839,252	+44.6
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	76,426	90,546	46,453	294,655	177,499	+66.0
EB	9,850	13,814	1	41,740	2	*
FSB	13,265	--	--	13,265	--	*
SUA	4,218	--	--	4,218	--	*
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	1,326,158	1,185,172	683,729	3,721,450	2,049,844	+81.5
EB	106,968	113,193	2	268,316	12	*
FSB	28,952	--	--	28,952	--	*
SUA	19,148	--	--	19,148	--	*
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	1,318,399	1,177,947	677,130	3,700,606	2,031,648	+82.1
Partial Unemployment	1,173,318	1,041,272	589,770	3,244,403	1,738,409	+86.6
Average Weekly Number	145,081	136,675	87,360	456,203	293,239	+55.6
	313,905	294,487	161,221	289,110	158,723	+82.1
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$75.11	\$73.12	\$68.50	\$72.85	\$67.41	+ 8.1
Partial Unemployment	79.91	77.91	73.64	77.74	72.99	+ 6.5
	36.30	36.61	33.83	38.08	34.30	+11.0
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	8,787	8,823	5,156	26,840	16,791	+59.8
EB	17,550	4	0	17,556	2	*
FSB	0	--	--	0	--	--
SUA	0	--	--	0	--	--
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	150,738	160,567	77,202	552,311	334,892	+64.9
Additional	75,343	90,883	35,888	323,055	193,800	+66.7
	75,395	69,684	41,314	229,256	141,092	+62.5
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	75,988	93,250	41,271	332,660	208,411	+59.6
Ineligible	65,424	79,762	35,403	283,913	176,827	+60.6
	10,564	13,488	5,868	48,747	31,584	+54.3
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
Waiting	1,395,394	1,292,919	683,419	4,092,789	2,208,217	+85.3
Compensable	76,198	92,615	37,290	323,389	178,784	+80.9
	1,319,196	1,200,304	646,129	3,769,400	2,029,433	+85.7
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>						
Applications	44,642	40,994	25,271	130,450	78,283	+66.6
Continued Claims	3,951	4,280	2,375	14,520	10,348	+40.3
	40,691	36,714	22,896	115,930	67,935	+70.6
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	40,436	40,546	21,764	118,124	65,086	+81.5
Continued Claims	4,657	5,074	2,645	16,660	9,743	+71.0
	35,779	35,472	19,119	101,464	55,343	+83.3
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
	2,645	2,384	1,876	7,098	4,762	+49.1
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>						
	49	32	36	109	98	+11.2
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	192,365	195,166	NA	195,166	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

<sup>1/</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, all data are for Regular UC only.

<sup>2/</sup> SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MARCH

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	54,705	210,846	25.9
Apparel Mfg.	33,590	152,750	22.0
Leather Products	4,822	22,678	21.3
Textile Products	12,066	61,014	19.8
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,406	15,191	15.8
Furniture & Fixtures	4,266	28,401	15.0
Stone, Clay & Glass	10,075	67,860	14.8
Transp. Equipment	10,736	73,402	14.6
Misc. Manufacturing	3,664	28,198	13.0
Paper & Allied Prod.	5,688	46,102	12.3
Rubber & Plastics	4,718	38,620	12.2
Elec. Equip. & Supply	17,446	150,540	11.6

\* Most recent 12-month average.

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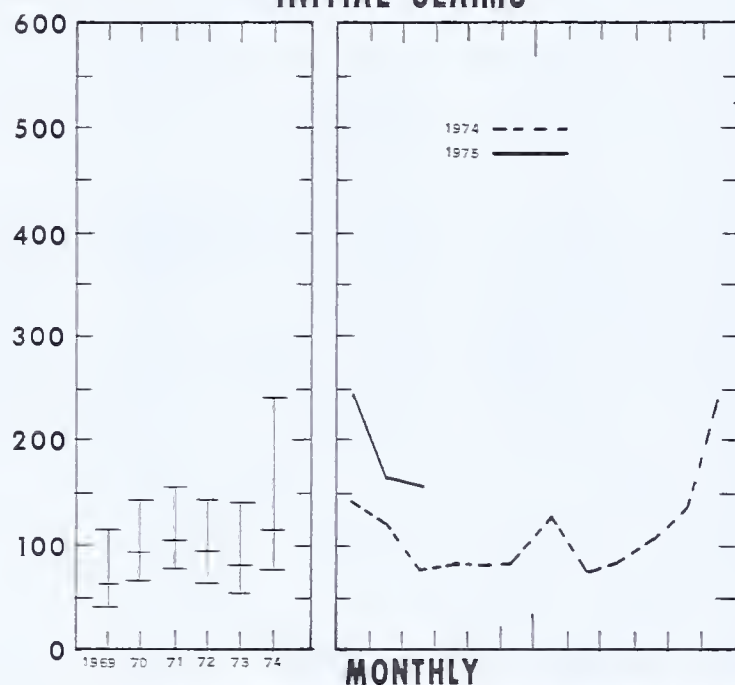
Activity *	March 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,659,185	\$7,919,601
Gross Amount	2,669,536	7,944,810
Total Unemployment	2,604,704	7,751,629
Benefit Payments-Total No.	39,616	118,477
Weeks Compensated	39,321	117,632
Total Unemployment	37,796	113,072
Average Payment	\$67.89	\$67.54
First Payments	1,525	4,964
Final Payments	533	1,572
Initial Claims	1,846	6,258
Continued Claims	30,513	94,442
Benefit Appeals Received	61	207

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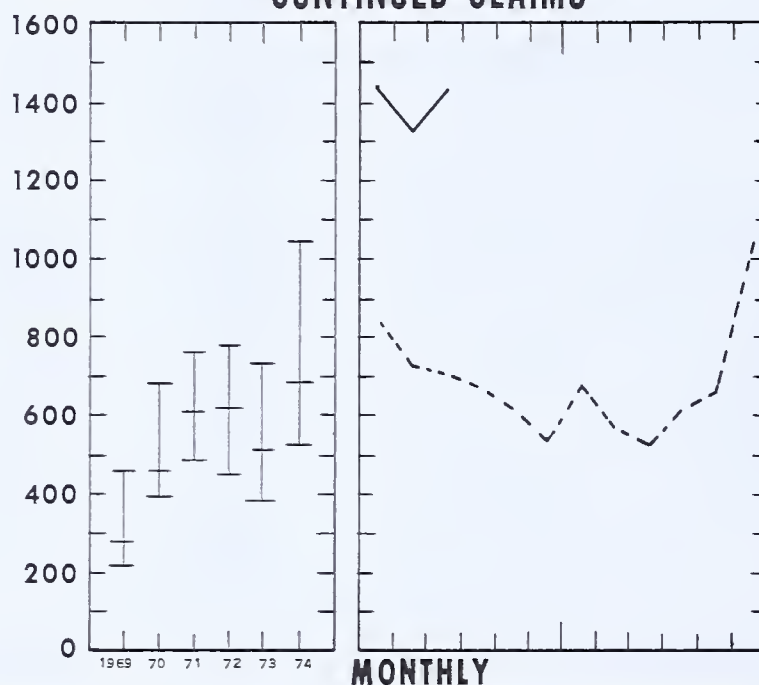
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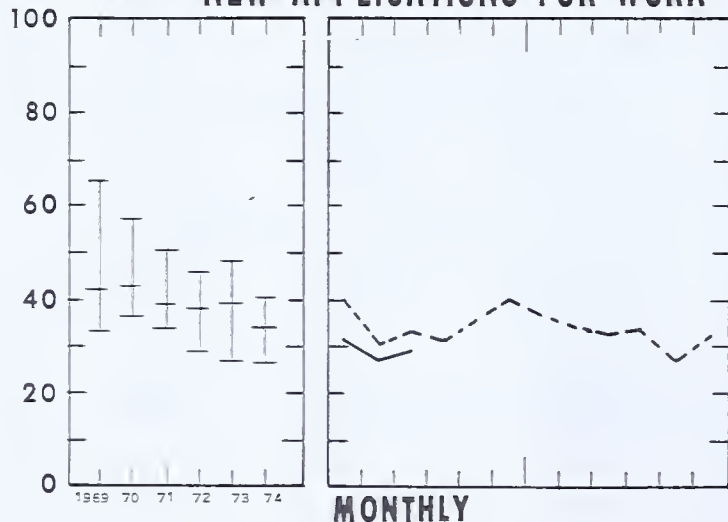
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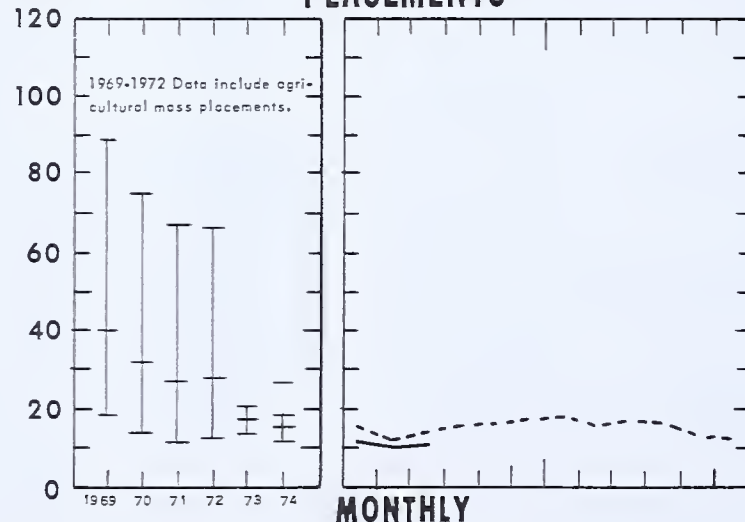
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HARRISBURG, PA

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As of April 30, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,140,452,568
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$488,319,889
Other Receipts .....	\$111,967,992
Total Receipts .....	\$6,740,740,449
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,451,309,841
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$195,619,840
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$86,866,513

Applications for Work Taken .....	20,094,229
Job Placements Made .....	14,546,567 <u>a/</u>
Employer Reports Received .....	27,861,615
Wage Records Received .....	484,224,216
No. UC Payments Made* .....	205,183,035
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,437,499
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,070,191

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-March 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,059,000
Total Employment .....	4,595,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,163,800
Other Nonfarm .....	350,100
Farm .....	81,100 <u>c/</u>
Total Unemployment .....	464,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.2

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$456.6 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$710.5 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$208.5 million (as of 4/30/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.64% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	4.39% (last 12 mos.)

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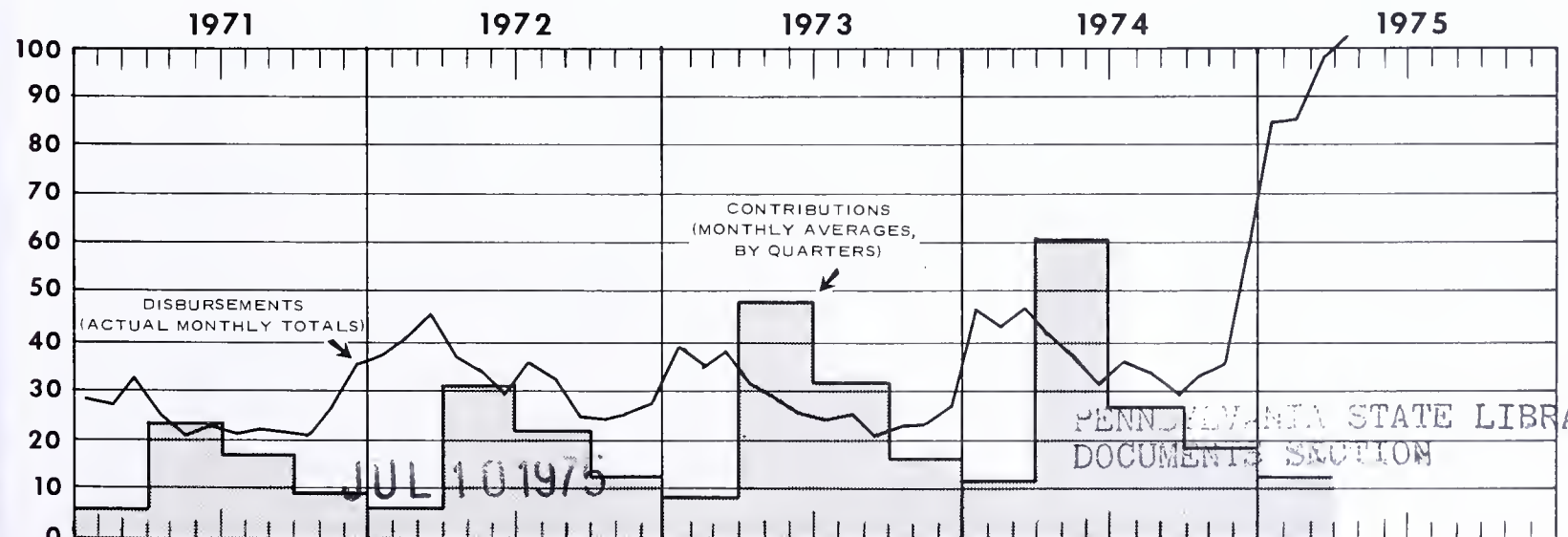
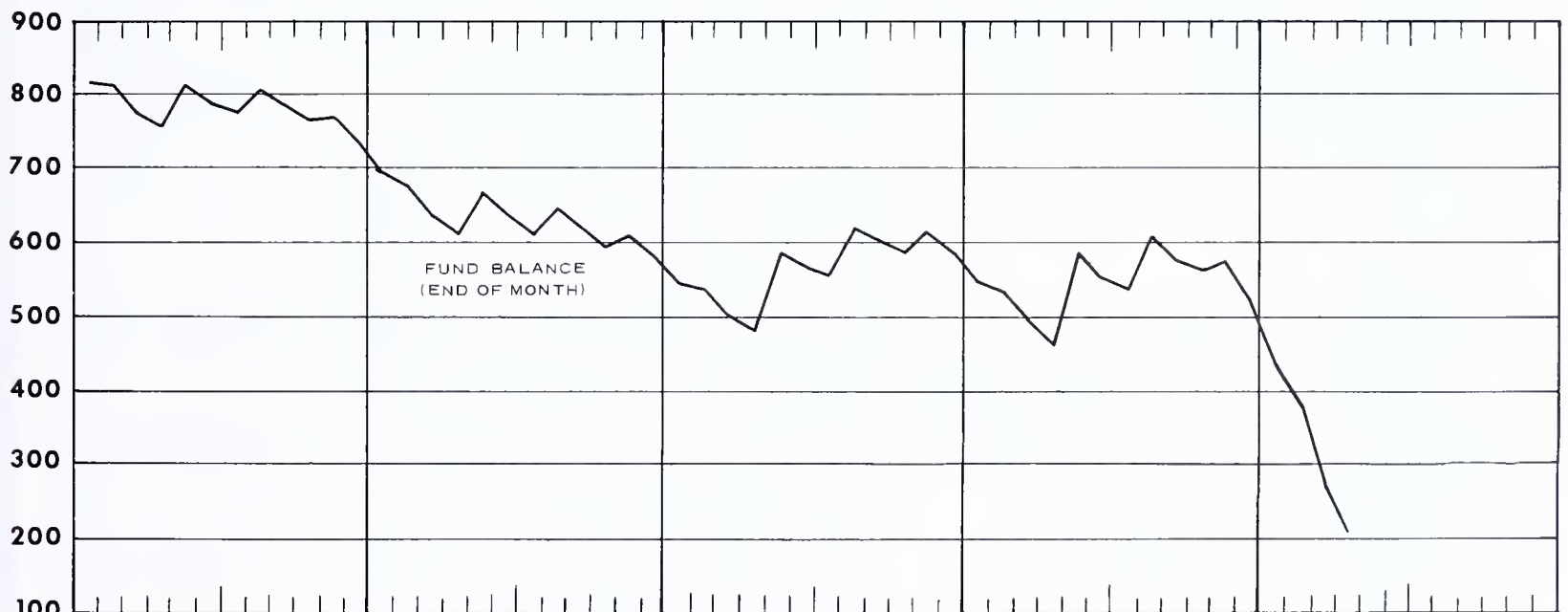
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Total Wages .....

Taxable Wages .....

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activity	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	April 1975	April 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	315,047	363,387	-13.3
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	534,165	611,044	-12.6
Disadvantaged	163,868	169,170	- 3.1
Negro	108,342	126,606	-14.4
Handicapped	45,612	60,916	-25.1
Veteran	101,995	117,963	-13.5
Handicapped Veteran	13,912	18,114	-23.2
Vietnam Era	57,504	61,334	- 6.2
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	41,807	49,531	-15.6
Disadvantaged	21,357	23,683	- 9.8
Negro	9,380	12,897	-27.3
Handicapped	11,306	13,049	-13.4
Veteran	11,605	12,517	- 7.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	21,489	30,620	-29.8
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	192,946	289,627	-33.4
Nonagricultural	189,699	279,825	-32.2
Agricultural	3,247	9,802	-66.9
<u>Openings Unfilled (As of End of Current Month)</u>	11,132	26,542	-58.1
Nonagricultural	10,990	25,640	-42.9
Agricultural	142	902	-84.3
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	108,968	116,725	- 6.6
Nonagricultural	107,632	115,386	- 6.7
Disadvantaged	23,253	20,599	+12.9
Negro	19,802	20,806	- 4.8
Handicapped	7,864	10,050	-21.8
Veteran	19,770	21,225	- 6.9
Handicapped Veteran	2,754	3,095	-11.0
Vietnam Era	13,722	14,332	- 4.3
Short Time	7,165	8,090	-11.4
Disadvantaged	1,004	957	+ 4.9
Negro	1,446	1,629	-11.2
Agricultural	1,612	1,708	- 5.6
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	142,316	162,602	-12.5
Nonagricultural	139,059	154,122	- 9.8
Agricultural	3,257	8,480	-61.6
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	44,810	63,731	-29.7
Disadvantaged	13,790	17,515	-21.3
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	70,443	76,296	- 7.5
To Major Employers	23,938	25,674	- 6.8
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,267	2,051	-38.2
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	62,472	68,950	- 9.4

<sup>1/</sup> Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	April 1975	March 1975	April 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$50,803,441	\$1,790,315	\$19,142,375	\$92,714,742	\$60,381,052	+53.5
Contributions	33,308,127	1,790,315	19,142,375	70,848,589	53,246,048	+33.1
Interest	0	0	0	8,370,028	8,209,341	+ 2.0
Other -	17,495,314	0	0	13,496,125	-1,074,337	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$102,269,399	\$99,022,292	\$41,774,067	\$371,852,074	\$178,720,320	+108.1
Net Amount	102,252,540	99,015,872	41,666,058	371,510,669	178,323,696	+108.3
Total Unemployment	96,684,121	93,756,412	39,169,823	348,894,520	166,057,901	+110.1
Partial Unemployment	5,585,278	5,265,880	2,604,244	22,957,554	12,662,419	+81.3
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$6,006,259	\$7,581,759	\$5,988,792	\$25,216,111	\$5,984,872	+321.3
Federal Supplementary Benefits	6,184,950	2,069,055	--	8,254,005	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	1,512,556	1,011,964	--	3,250,247	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$208,467,183	\$272,103,416	\$462,326,776	\$208,467,183	\$462,326,776	-54.9
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	65,781	76,426	30,474	360,436	207,973	+73.3
EB	10,976	9,850	16,243	52,716	16,245	+224.5
FSB	9,522	13,265	--	22,787	--	*
SUA	7,963	4,218	--	15,900	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,352,883	1,326,158	615,870	5,074,333	2,665,714	+90.4
EB	84,662	106,968	87,963	352,978	87,975	+301.2
FSB	86,588	28,952	--	115,540	--	*
SUA	32,628	19,148	--	64,834	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,346,326	1,318,399	611,803	5,046,932	2,643,451	+90.9
Partial Unemployment	1,195,583	1,173,318	533,468	4,439,986	2,271,877	+95.4
Average Weekly Number	150,743	145,081	78,335	606,946	371,574	+63.3
Average Weekly Number	305,983	313,905	139,046	293,426	153,689	+90.9
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$75.96	\$75.11	\$68.28	\$73.68	\$67.61	+ 9.0
Partial Unemployment	80.87	79.91	73.42	78.58	73.09	+ 7.5
Partial Unemployment	37.05	36.30	33.24	37.82	34.08	+11.0
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	10,954	8,787	5,532	37,794	22,323	+69.3
EB	8,788	17,550	2	26,344	4	*
FSB	0	0	--	0	--	--
SUA	0	0	--	0	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	148,154	150,738	81,548	700,465	416,440	+68.2
Additional	72,669	75,343	39,329	395,724	233,129	+69.7
Additional	75,485	75,395	42,219	304,741	183,311	+66.2
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	74,258	75,988	39,961	406,918	248,372	+63.8
Eligible	61,418	65,424	32,947	345,331	209,774	+64.6
Ineligible	12,840	10,564	7,014	61,587	38,598	+59.6
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Waiting	1,459,619	1,395,394	652,939	5,552,408	2,861,156	+94.1
Waiting	71,143	76,198	37,203	394,532	215,987	+82.7
Compensable	1,388,476	1,319,196	615,736	5,157,876	2,645,169	+95.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	45,061	44,642	22,286	175,511	100,569	+74.5
Applications	3,876	3,951	2,179	18,396	12,527	+46.9
Continued Claims	41,185	40,691	20,107	157,115	88,042	+78.5
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	36,885	40,436	20,627	155,009	85,713	+80.8
Applications	4,444	4,657	2,958	21,104	12,701	+66.2
Continued Claims	32,441	35,779	17,669	133,905	73,012	+83.4
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Benefit Appeals Received	2,616	2,645	1,665	9,714	6,427	+51.1
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	32	49	21	141	119	+18.5
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
Number Liable Employers	NA	193,468	194,443	NA	194,443	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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**RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO  
COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-APRIL**

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	46,931	210,846	22.3
Apparel Mfg.	31,415	152,750	20.6
Leather Products	4,559	22,678	20.1
Textile Products	10,937	61,014	17.9
Tobacco Mfrs.	1,115	6,552	17.0
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,260	15,191	14.9
Furniture & Fixtures	4,200	28,401	14.8
Transp. Equipment	10,867	73,402	14.8
Rubber & Plastics	5,490	38,620	14.2
Stone, Clay & Glass	9,277	67,860	13.7
Paper & Allied Prod.	5,888	46,102	12.8
Elec. Equip. & Supply	17,938	150,540	11.9

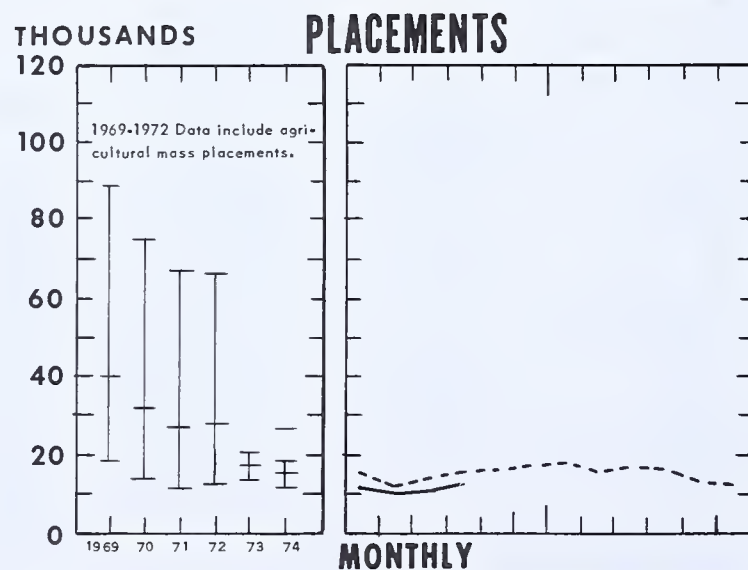
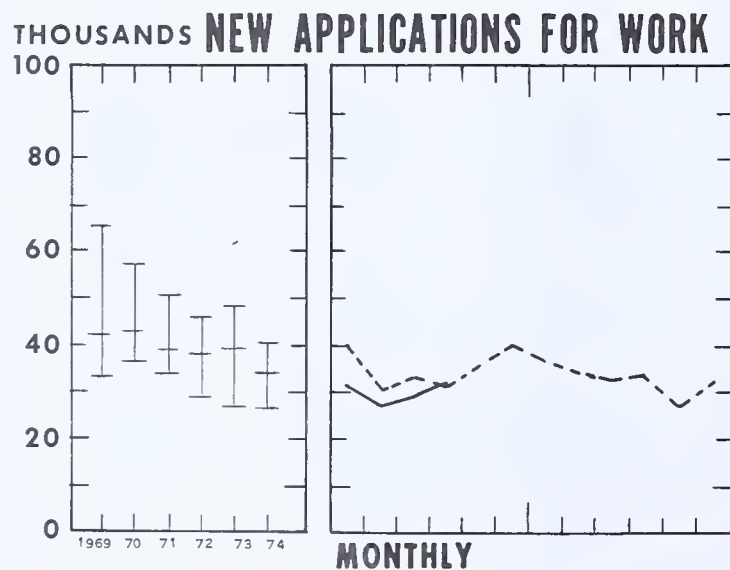
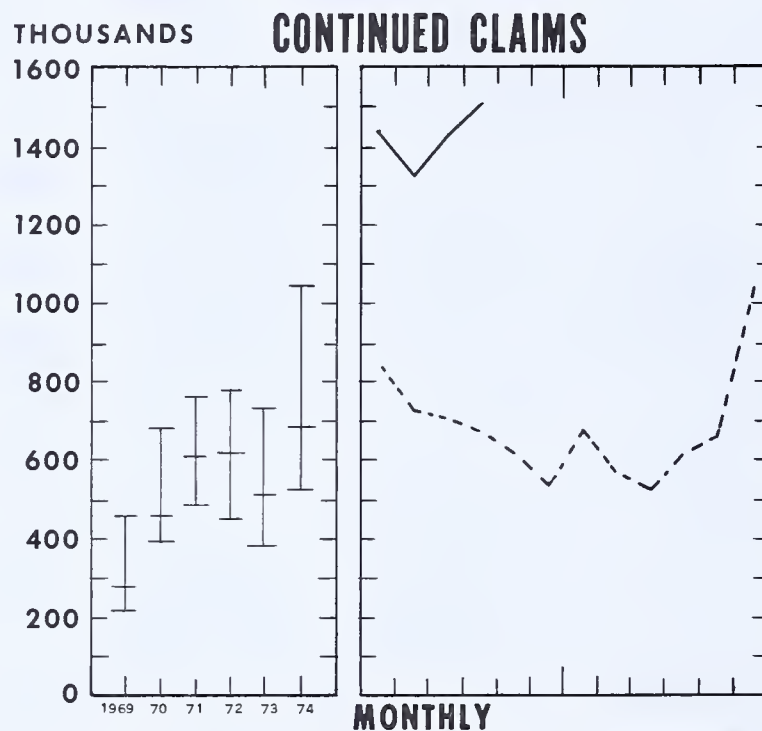
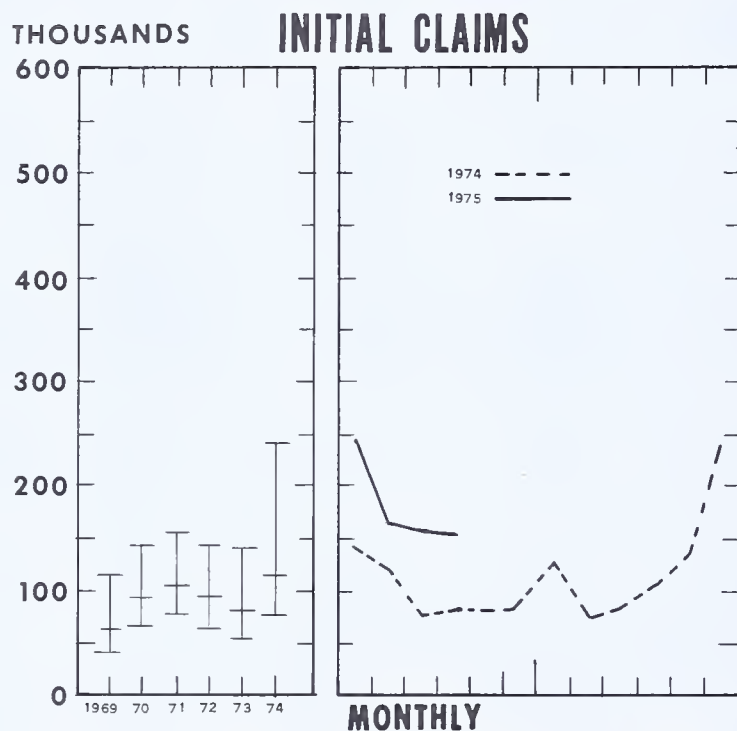
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**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR  
FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN**

Activity *	April 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,688,889	\$10,608,490
Gross Amount	2,705,112	10,649,922
Total Unemployment	2,635,919	10,387,548
Benefit Payments-Total No.	39,792	158,269
Weeks Compensated	39,439	157,071
Total Unemployment	37,821	150,893
Average Payment	\$68.59	\$67.80
First Payments	1,457	6,421
Final Payments	578	2,150
Initial Claims	2,006	8,264
Continued Claims	33,024	127,466
Benefit Appeals Received	71	278

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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

MAY 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of May 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,301,570,336	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,126,754
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$494,155,452	Job Placements Made .....	14,554,596 <sup>a/</sup>
Other Receipts .....	\$122,099,001	Employer Reports Received .....	27,983,572
Total Receipts .....	\$6,917,824,789	Wage Records Received .....	486,808,800
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,557,495,473	No. UC Payments Made* .....	206,597,230
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,467,902
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$197,810,978	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,087,637
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$87,960,699		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-April 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,073,300
Total Employment .....	4,613,300
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,368,600
Other Nonfarm .....	c/
Farm .....	c/
Total Unemployment .....	460,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.1

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$469.7 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$775.2 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$279.4 million (as of 5/31/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.67% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	4.79% (last 12 mos.)

<sup>a/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.

<sup>b/</sup> 12-month period January-December 1974.

<sup>c/</sup> Information no longer available.

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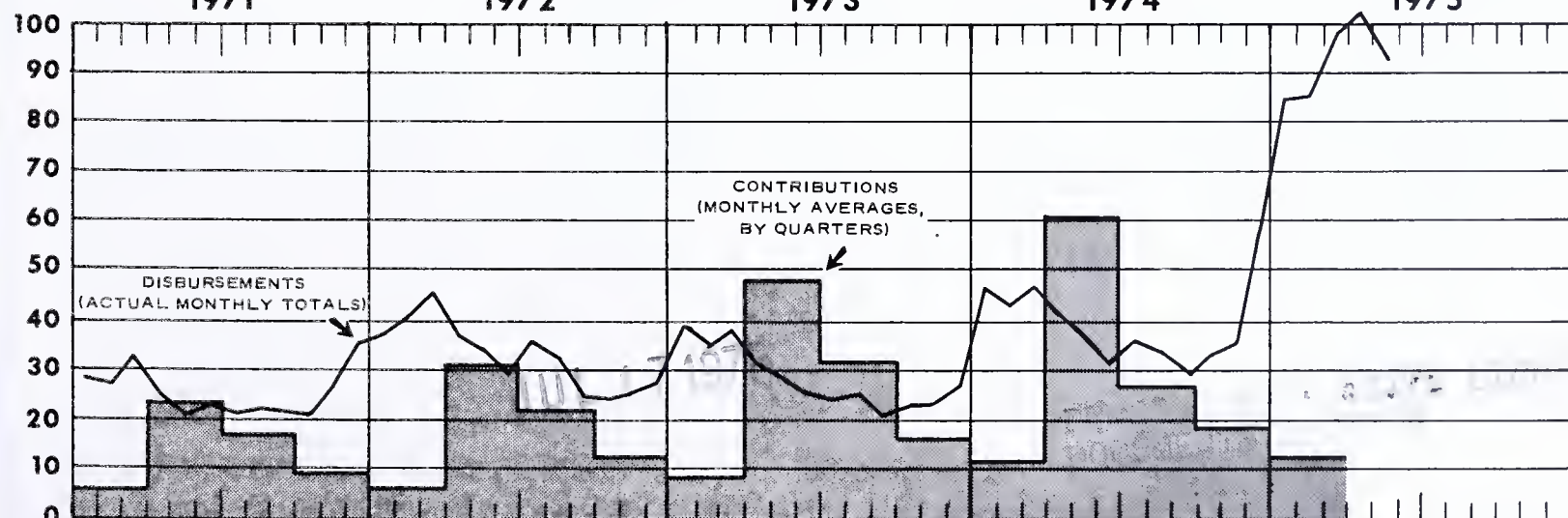
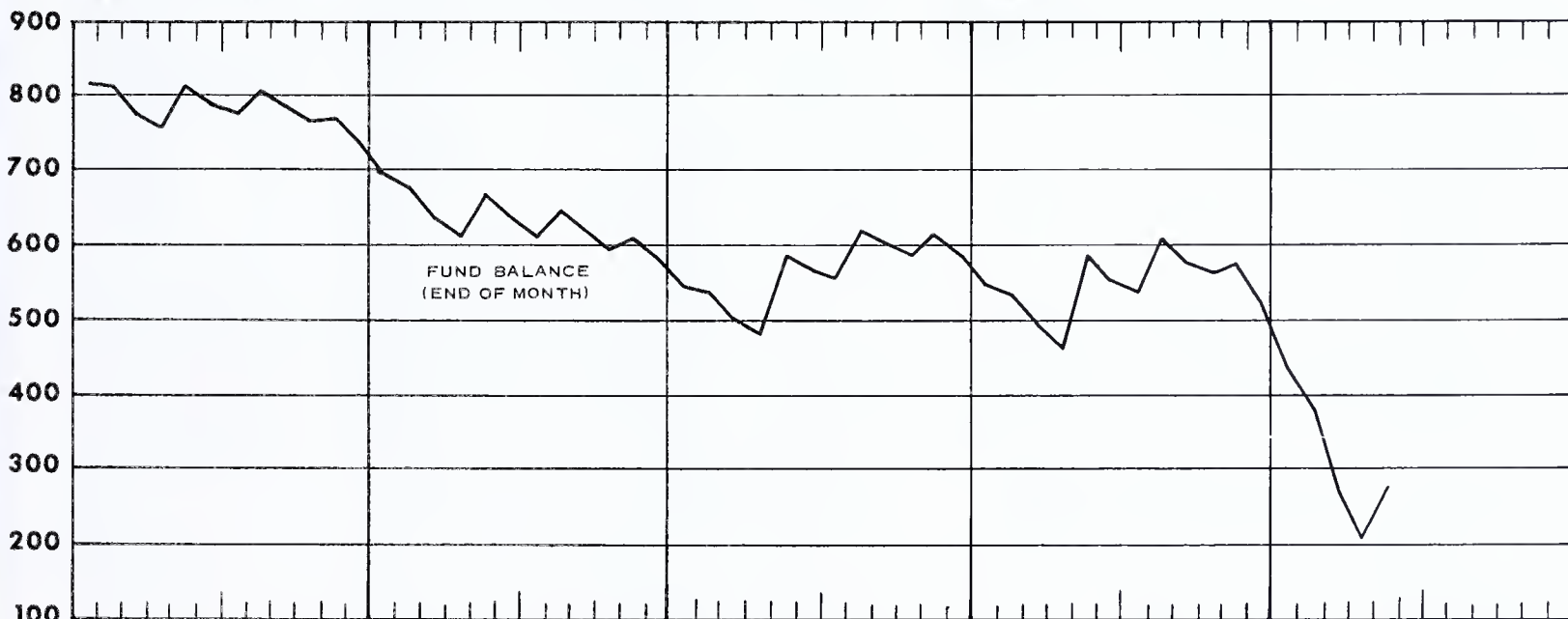
Employers .....

Total Wages .....

Taxable Wages .....

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activity	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	May 1975	May 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	345,793	398,727	-13.3
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	563,785	644,295	-12.5
Disadvantaged	171,040	176,659	- 3.2
Negro	112,463	132,098	-14.9
Handicapped	47,987	63,459	-24.4
Veteran	108,093	123,673	-12.6
Handicapped Veteran	14,653	18,918	-22.5
Vietnam Era	60,960	64,608	- 5.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	45,063	53,854	-16.3
Disadvantaged	23,124	25,894	-10.7
Negro	10,201	14,089	-27.6
Handicapped	12,203	14,192	-14.0
Veteran	12,476	13,636	- 8.5
<u>Persons Tested</u>	23,483	34,015	-31.0
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	211,417	321,394	-34.2
Nonagricultural	207,996	311,341	-33.2
Agricultural	3,421	10,053	-66.0
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	13,037	30,633	-57.4
Nonagricultural	12,914	29,970	-56.9
Agricultural	123	663	-81.4
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	116,998	127,274	- 8.1
Nonagricultural	115,579	125,846	- 8.2
Disadvantaged	25,197	22,503	+12.0
Negro	21,111	22,517	- 6.2
Handicapped	8,546	10,970	-22.1
Veteran	21,487	23,319	- 7.9
Handicapped Veteran	2,996	3,396	-11.8
Vietnam Era	14,927	15,751	- 5.2
Short-Time	7,597	8,506	-10.7
Disadvantaged	1,100	1,046	+ 5.2
Negro	1,543	1,746	-11.6
Agricultural	1,750	1,864	- 6.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	154,758	178,487	-13.3
Nonagricultural	151,350	169,798	-10.9
Agricultural	3,408	8,689	-60.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	48,162	69,182	-30.4
Disadvantaged	14,891	18,897	-21.2
<u>Employer Services</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	78,495	84,537	- 7.1
To Major Employers	26,490	28,680	- 7.6
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,585	2,164	-26.8
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	70,169	76,625	- 8.4

1/ Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	May 1975	April 1975	May 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$177,084,339	\$50,803,441	\$164,006,571	\$269,799,081	\$224,387,623	+20.2
Contributions	161,117,768	33,308,127	159,171,511	231,966,357	212,417,559	+ 9.2
Interest	5,835,562	0	7,510,441	14,205,591	15,719,782	- 9.6
Other	10,131,009	17,495,314	-2,675,381	23,627,133	-3,749,718	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$92,594,383	\$102,269,399	\$36,701,354	\$464,446,457	\$215,421,674	+115.6
Net Amount	92,358,175	102,252,540	36,604,377	463,868,844	214,928,073	+115.8
Total Unemployment	87,521,610	96,684,121	34,254,152	436,416,130	200,312,053	+117.9
Partial Unemployment	5,072,773	5,585,278	2,447,202	28,030,327	15,109,621	+85.5
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$6,226,924	\$6,006,259	\$4,871,609	\$31,443,035	\$10,856,481	+189.6
Federal Supplementary Benefits	7,608,168	6,184,950	--	15,862,173	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	1,466,609	1,512,556	--	4,716,856	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$279,365,890	\$208,467,183	\$584,857,361	\$279,365,890	\$584,857,361	-52.2
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	53,446	65,781	27,643	413,882	235,616	+75.7
EB	12,889	10,976	8,315	65,605	24,560	+167.1
FSB	7,133	9,522	--	29,920	--	*
SUA	7,714	7,963	--	23,614	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,221,318	1,352,883	548,194	6,295,651	3,213,908	+95.9
EB	87,150	84,662	72,655	440,128	160,630	+174.0
FSB	106,983	86,588	--	222,523	--	*
SUA	31,282	32,628	--	96,116	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,215,862	1,346,326	544,649	6,262,794	3,188,100	+96.4
Partial Unemployment	1,076,771	1,195,583	469,636	5,516,757	2,741,513	+101.2
Average Weekly Number	139,091	150,743	75,013	746,037	446,587	+67.1
	276,332	305,983	118,402	289,944	146,243	+98.3
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$76.16	\$75.96	\$67.39	\$74.16	\$67.57	+ 9.8
Partial Unemployment	81.28	80.87	72.94	79.11	73.07	+ 8.3
	36.47	37.05	32.62	37.57	33.83	+11.1
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	13,694	10,954	6,213	51,488	28,536	+80.4
EB	7,112	8,788	11,260	33,456	11,264	+197.0
FSB	0	0	--	0	--	--
SUA	0	0	--	0	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	139,339	148,154	80,256	839,804	496,696	+69.1
Additional	58,361	72,669	37,867	454,085	270,996	+67.6
	80,978	75,485	42,389	385,719	225,700	+70.9
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	59,770	74,258	39,717	466,688	288,089	+62.0
Ineligible	51,132	61,418	34,147	396,463	243,921	+62.5
	8,638	12,840	5,570	70,225	44,168	+59.0
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Waiting	1,300,695	1,459,619	595,051	6,853,103	3,456,207	+98.3
Compensable	58,969	71,143	35,160	453,501	251,147	+80.6
	1,241,726	1,388,476	559,891	6,399,602	3,205,060	+99.7
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	41,383	45,061	19,748	216,894	120,317	+80.3
Continued Claims	3,673	3,876	2,084	22,069	14,611	+51.0
	37,710	41,185	17,664	194,825	105,706	+84.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	38,832	36,885	19,195	193,841	104,908	+84.8
Continued Claims	4,418	4,444	2,961	25,522	15,662	+63.0
	34,414	32,441	16,234	168,319	89,246	+88.6
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,799	2,616	1,640	12,513	8,067	+55.1
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	31	32	35	172	154	+11.7
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	192,436	194,276	NA	194,276	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MAY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment*	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	31,156	148,165	21.0
Leather Products	4,073	21,904	18.6
Construction	36,707	207,376	17.7
Textile Products	9,508	59,195	16.1
Tobacco Mfrs.	1,026	6,506	15.8
Furniture & Fixtures	3,824	27,430	13.9
Transportation Equip.	9,659	72,454	13.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,938	14,830	13.1
Rubber & Plastics	4,453	38,537	11.6
Stone, Clay & Glass	7,612	67,346	11.3
Elec. Equip. & Supply	16,658	149,079	11.2
Paper & Allied Prod.	4,931	45,374	10.9

\* Most recent 12-month average.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

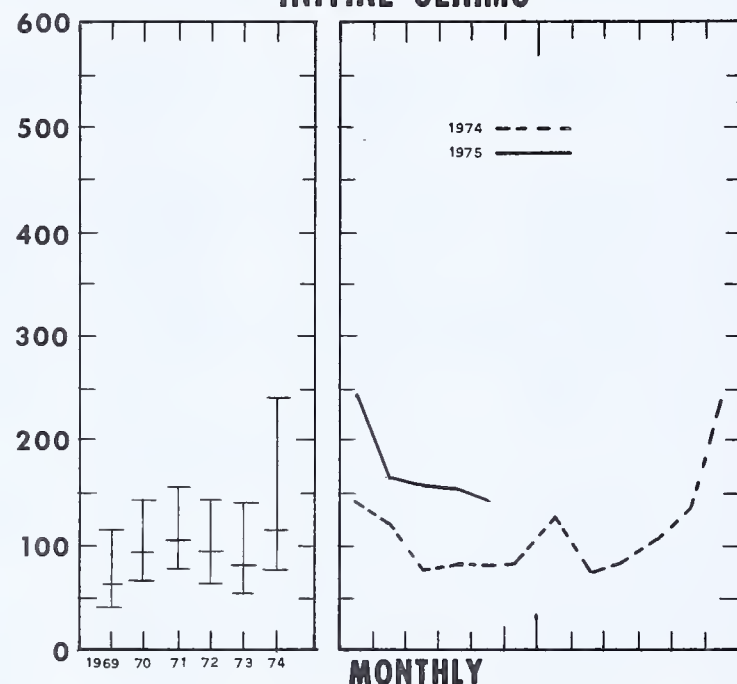
Activity*	May 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,483,126	\$13,091,616
Gross Amount	2,504,710	13,154,632
Total Unemployment	2,436,562	12,824,110
Benefit Payments-Total No.	36,671	194,940
Weeks Compensated	36,327	193,398
Total Unemployment	34,746	185,639
Average Payment	\$68.95	\$68.02
First Payments	1,309	7,730
Final Payments	721	2,871
Initial Claims	1,959	10,223
Continued Claims	30,441	157,907
Benefit Appeals Received	89	367

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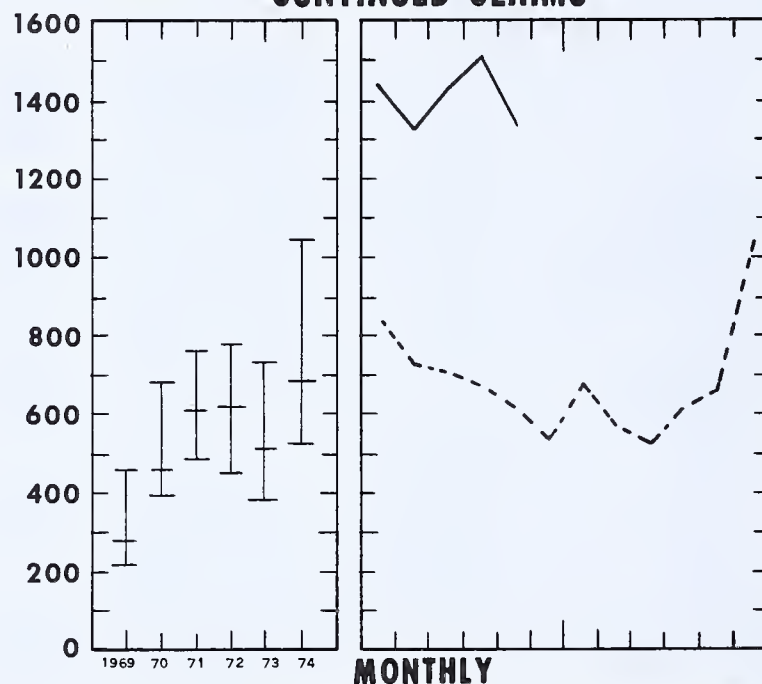
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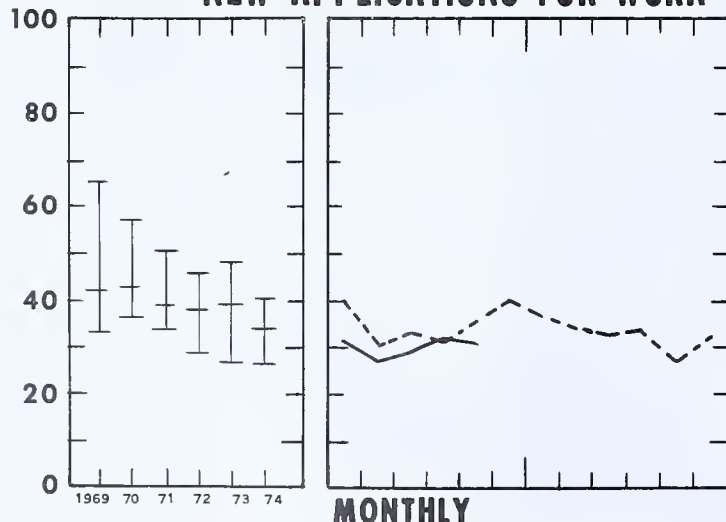
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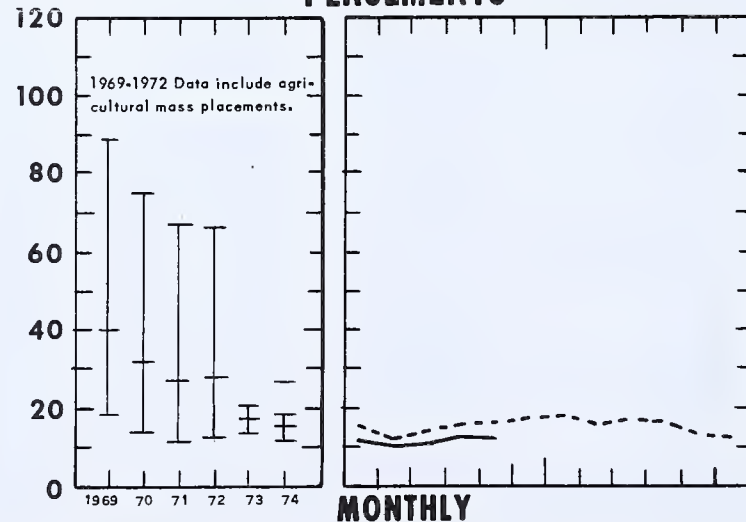
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As of June 30, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,305,016,466
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$494,155,452
Other Receipts .....	\$137,400,352
Total Receipts .....	\$6,936,572,270
UC Benefits Paid .....	\$6,665,583,611
TUC Debt Paid* .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$200,143,116
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$89,156,847

Applications for Work Taken .....	20,175,033
Job Placements Made .....	14,567,511 <u>a/</u>
Employer Reports Received .....	27,992,287
Wage Records Received .....	487,449,947
No. UC Payments Made* .....	208,014,253
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,499,219
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,106,367

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-May 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,108,500
Total Employment .....	4,661,500
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,397,300
Other Nonfarm .....	c/
Farm .....	c/
Total Unemployment .....	447,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	8.8

### Financial Statistics

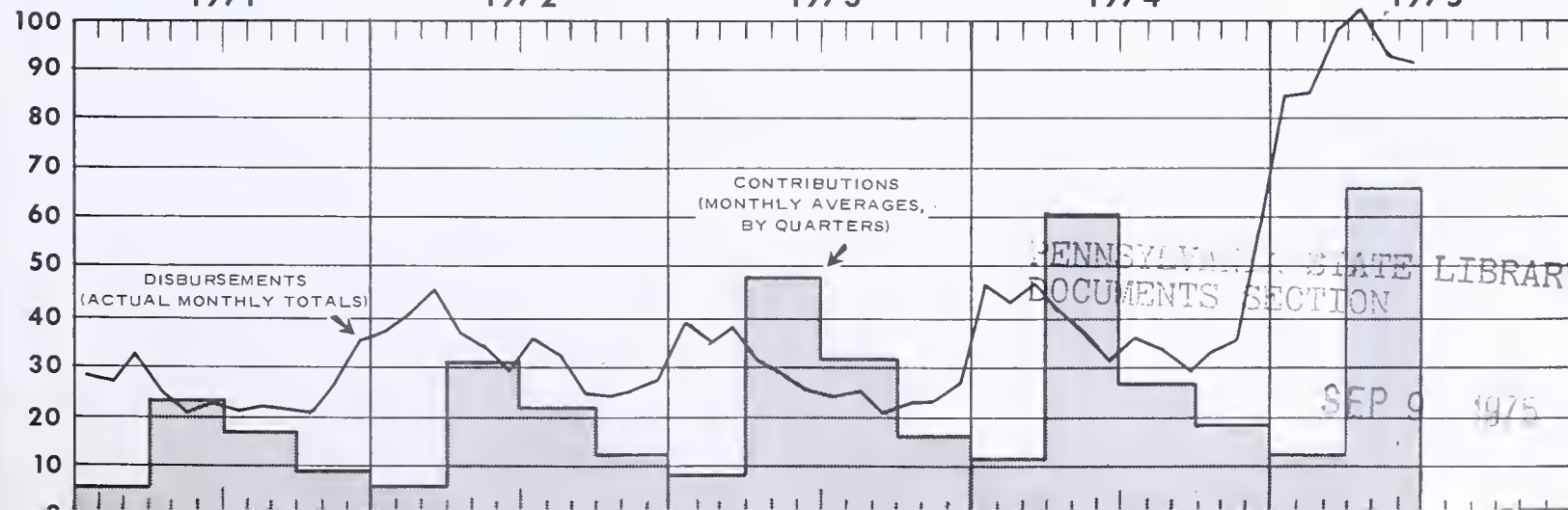
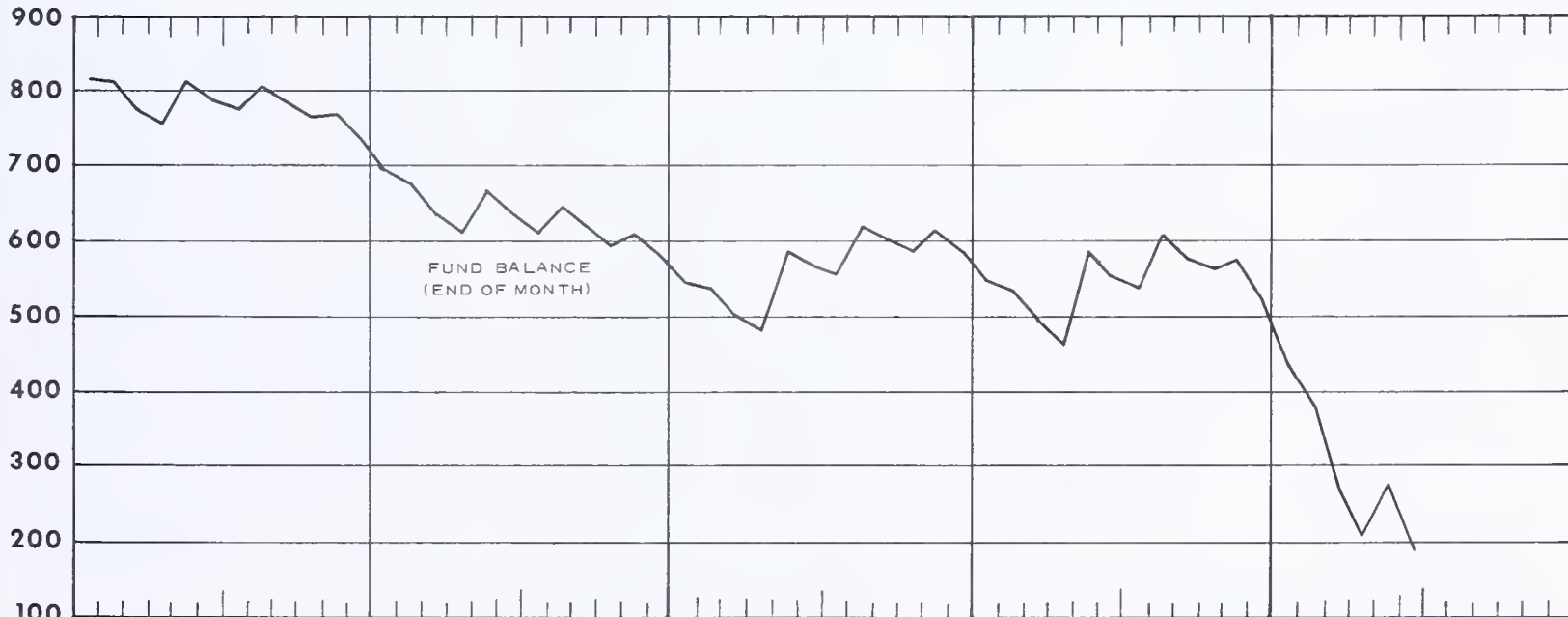
UC Receipts .....	\$480.8 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$849.1 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$190.0 million (as of 6/30/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.67% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.19% (last 12 mos.)

a/ Includes Mass Placements.  
b/ 12-month period January 1974 - December 1974.  
c/ Information no longer available.

Employment .....	3.9 million (12 mo. avg.) <u>b/</u>
Employers .....	192.2 thousand (as of 5/31/75)
Total Wages .....	36.2 billion per yr. <u>b/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	15.1 billion per yr. <u>b/</u>

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activity	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	June 1975	June 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	392,559	439,090	-10.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	608,776	682,209	-10.8
Disadvantaged	189,253	189,132	+ 0.1
Negro	123,174	139,171	-11.5
Handicapped	50,133	65,493	-23.5
Veteran	113,261	128,548	-11.9
Handicapped Veteran	15,290	19,434	-21.3
Vietnam Era	64,027	67,470	- 5.1
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	47,972	57,537	-16.6
Disadvantaged	24,771	27,870	-11.1
Negro	10,928	15,101	-27.6
Handicapped	12,954	15,120	-14.3
Veteran	13,168	14,441	- 8.8
<u>Persons Tested</u>	25,378	37,352	-32.1
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	237,189	349,478	-32.1
Nonagricultural	233,560	338,938	-31.1
Agricultural	3,629	10,540	-65.6
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	17,220	26,462	-34.9
Nonagricultural	17,124	25,781	-33.6
Agricultural	96	681	-85.9
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	129,823	139,768	- 7.1
Nonagricultural	128,197	137,766	- 6.9
Disadvantaged	29,330	25,684	+14.2
Negro	23,400	24,497	- 4.5
Handicapped	9,179	11,639	-21.1
Veteran	23,097	24,950	- 7.4
Handicapped Veteran	3,216	3,602	-10.7
Vietnam Era	16,053	16,889	- 5.0
Short-Time	8,398	9,008	- 6.8
Disadvantaged	1,214	1,120	+ 8.4
Negro	1,686	1,836	- 8.2
Agricultural	2,006	2,480	-19.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	171,835	195,610	-12.2
Nonagricultural	168,161	186,181	- 9.7
Agricultural	3,674	9,429	-61.0
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	51,429	74,073	-30.6
Disadvantaged	15,911	20,072	-20.7
<u>Employer Services</u>			
<u>Nonagricultural Employer Visits</u>	85,327	92,001	- 7.3
To Major Employers	28,637	31,234	- 8.3
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,959	2,328	-15.9
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	76,403	83,272	- 8.2

<sup>1/</sup> Includes mass placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

	June 1975	May 1975	June 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$18,747,482	\$177,084,339	\$7,670,080	\$288,546,563	\$232,057,702	+24.3
Contributions	3,446,130	161,117,768	3,063,510	235,412,487	215,481,068	+ 9.2
Interest	0	5,835,562	0	14,205,591	15,719,782	- 9.6
Other	15,301,352	10,131,009	4,606,570	38,928,485	856,852	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$91,697,150	\$92,594,383	\$31,493,193	\$556,143,607	\$246,914,867	+125.2
Net Amount	91,445,325	92,358,175	31,143,515	555,314,169	246,071,588	+125.7
Total Unemployment	87,122,847	87,521,610	29,349,590	523,538,977	229,661,643	+128.0
Partial Unemployment	4,574,303	5,072,773	2,143,603	32,604,630	17,253,224	+89.0
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,204,565	\$6,226,924	\$3,024,481	\$40,647,600	\$13,880,962	+193.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	7,438,248	7,608,168	--	23,300,421	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	1,886,011	1,466,609	--	6,602,867	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$190,025,234	\$279,365,890	\$558,359,445	\$190,025,234	\$558,359,445	-66.0
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	46,799	53,446	25,320	460,681	260,936	+76.5
EB	14,442	12,889	5,642	80,047	30,202	+165.0
FSB	7,125	7,133	--	37,045	--	*
SUA	5,624	7,714	--	29,238	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,186,011	1,221,318	476,435	7,481,662	3,690,343	+102.7
EB	127,809	87,150	44,932	567,937	205,562	+176.3
FSB	104,954	106,983	--	327,477	--	*
SUA	42,255	31,282	--	138,371	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,181,957	1,215,862	473,549	7,444,751	3,661,649	+103.3
Partial Unemployment	1,058,823	1,076,771	407,148	6,575,580	3,148,661	+108.8
Average Weekly Number	123,134	139,091	66,401	869,171	512,988	+69.4
	281,418	276,332	118,387	288,556	141,924	+103.3
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$77.58	\$76.16	\$66.50	\$74.70	\$67.43	+10.8
Partial Unemployment	82.28	81.28	72.09	79.62	72.94	+ 9.2
	37.15	36.47	32.28	37.51	33.63	+11.5
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	16,990	13,694	5,757	68,478	34,293	+99.7
EB	8,021	7,112	3,811	41,477	15,075	+175.1
FSB	0	0	--	0	--	--
SUA	227	0	--	227	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	144,468	139,339	80,933	984,272	577,629	+70.4
Additional	63,298	58,361	37,775	517,383	308,771	+67.6
	81,170	80,978	43,158	466,889	268,858	+73.7
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	60,025	59,770	37,597	526,713	325,686	+61.7
Ineligible	50,903	51,132	32,067	447,366	275,988	+62.1
	9,122	8,638	5,530	79,347	49,698	+59.7
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Waiting	1,223,853	1,300,695	519,988	8,076,956	3,976,195	+103.1
Compensable	39,307	58,969	34,288	492,808	285,435	+72.7
	1,184,546	1,241,726	485,700	7,584,148	3,690,760	+105.5
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	40,815	41,383	17,077	257,709	137,394	+87.6
Continued Claims	4,420	3,673	2,141	26,489	16,752	+58.1
	36,395	37,710	14,936	231,220	120,642	+91.7
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	41,220	38,832	16,775	235,061	121,683	+93.2
Continued Claims	4,778	4,418	2,813	30,300	18,475	+64.0
	36,442	34,414	13,962	204,761	103,208	+98.4
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,536	2,799	1,706	15,049	9,773	+54.0
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	39	31	31	211	185	+14.1
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	192,213	194,884	NA	194,884	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JUNE

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	30,709	148,165	20.7
Tobacco Mftrs.	1,177	6,506	18.1
Construction	37,353	207,376	18.0
Leather Products	3,920	21,904	17.9
Textile Products	8,795	59,195	14.9
Transp. Equip.	10,525	72,454	14.5
Furniture & Fixtures	3,562	27,430	13.0
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,696	14,830	11.4
Elec. Equip. & Supply	16,908	149,079	11.3
Rubber & Plastics	4,156	38,537	10.8
Stone, Clay & Glass	7,055	67,346	10.5
Trucking & Warehousing	7,550	75,918	9.9

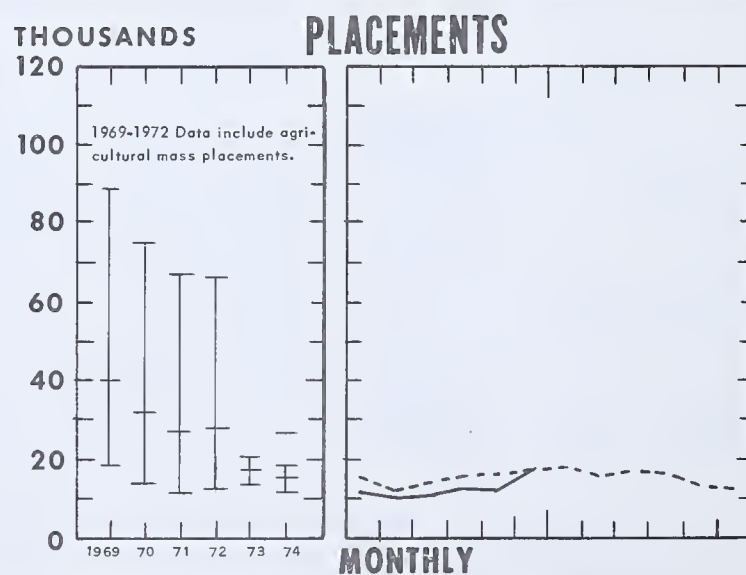
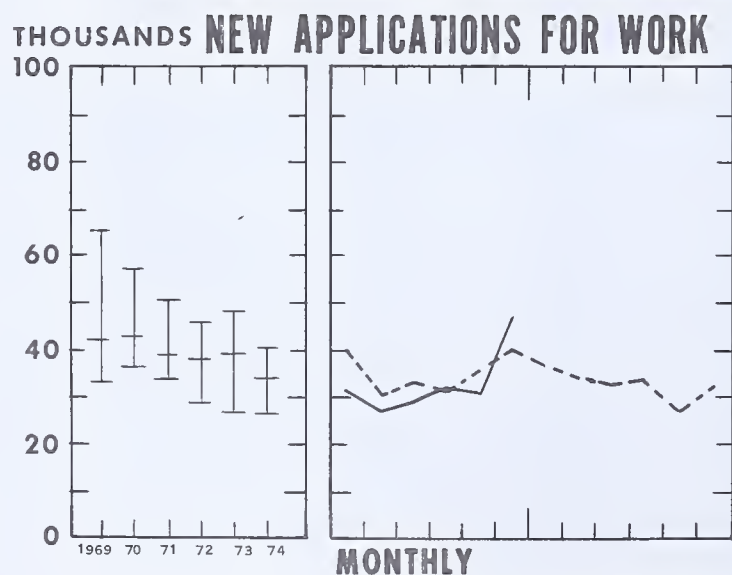
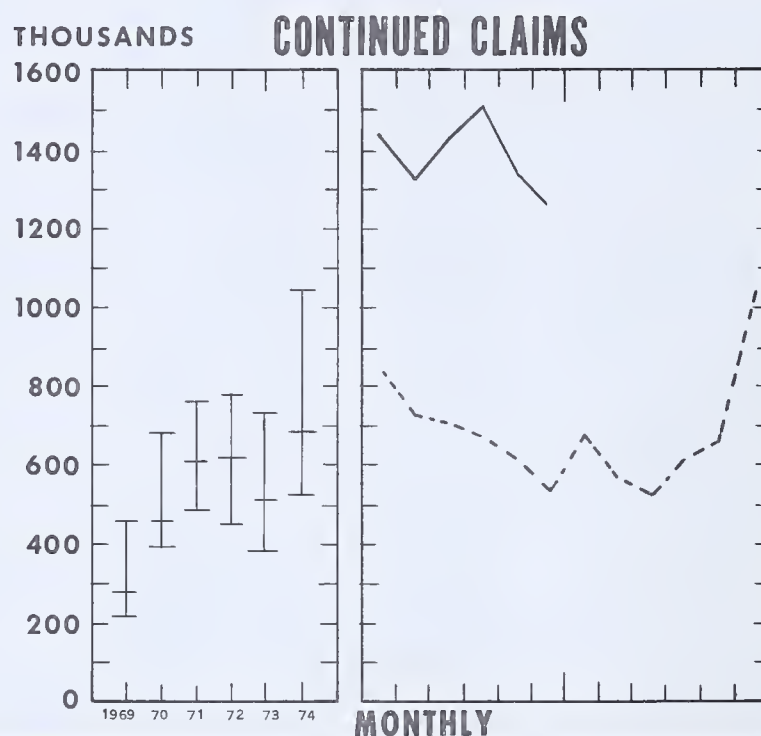
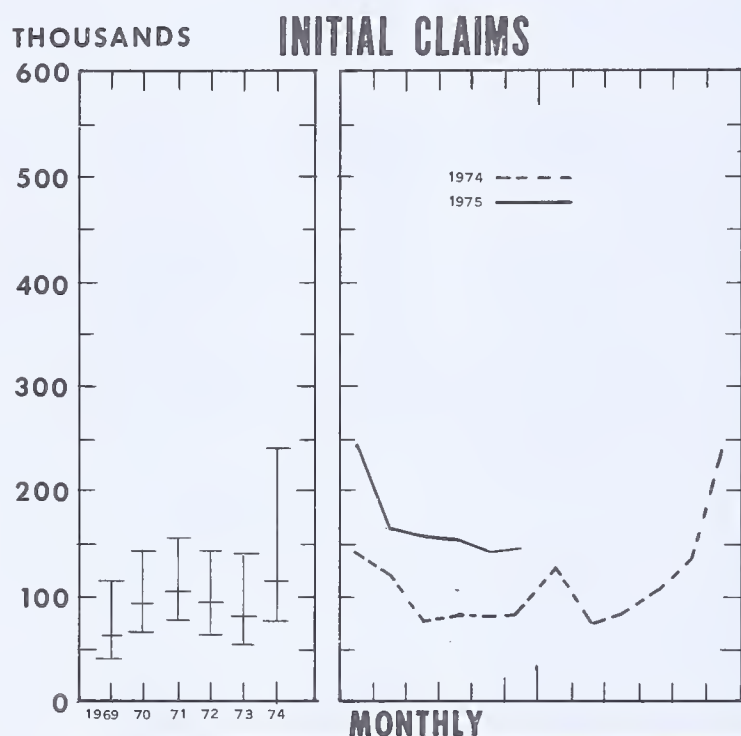
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	June 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,604,404	\$15,696,020
Gross Amount	2,573,326	15,727,958
Total Unemployment	2,513,811	15,337,921
Benefit Payments-Total No.	37,151	232,091
Weeks Compensated	36,926	230,324
Total Unemployment	35,545	221,184
Average Payment	\$69.69	\$68.29
First Payments	1,333	9,063
Final Payments	658	3,469
Initial Claims	2,324	12,547
Continued Claims	30,735	188,642
Benefit Appeals Received	69	436

\* Does not include Extended Benefits or Federal Supplementary Benefits.

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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

JULY 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of July 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,328,500,113
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$494,155,452
Other Receipts .....	\$142,342,137
Total Receipts .....	\$6,964,997,702
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,776,581,775
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$202,667,882
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$90,414,885

Applications for Work Taken .....	INA
Job Placements Made .....	INA a/
Employer Reports Received .....	28,056,365
Wage Records Received .....	488,296,608
No. UC Payments Made* .....	209,469,629
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,533,150
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,125,839

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-June 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,197,200
Total Employment .....	4,697,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,420,700
Other Nonfarm .....	c/
Farm .....	c/
Total Unemployment .....	500,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.6

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$489.8 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$920.5 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$107.5 million (as of 7/31/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.72% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.55% (last 12 mos.)

a/ Includes Mass Placements.

b/ 12-month period January 1974-December 1974.

c/ Information no longer available.

Employment .....

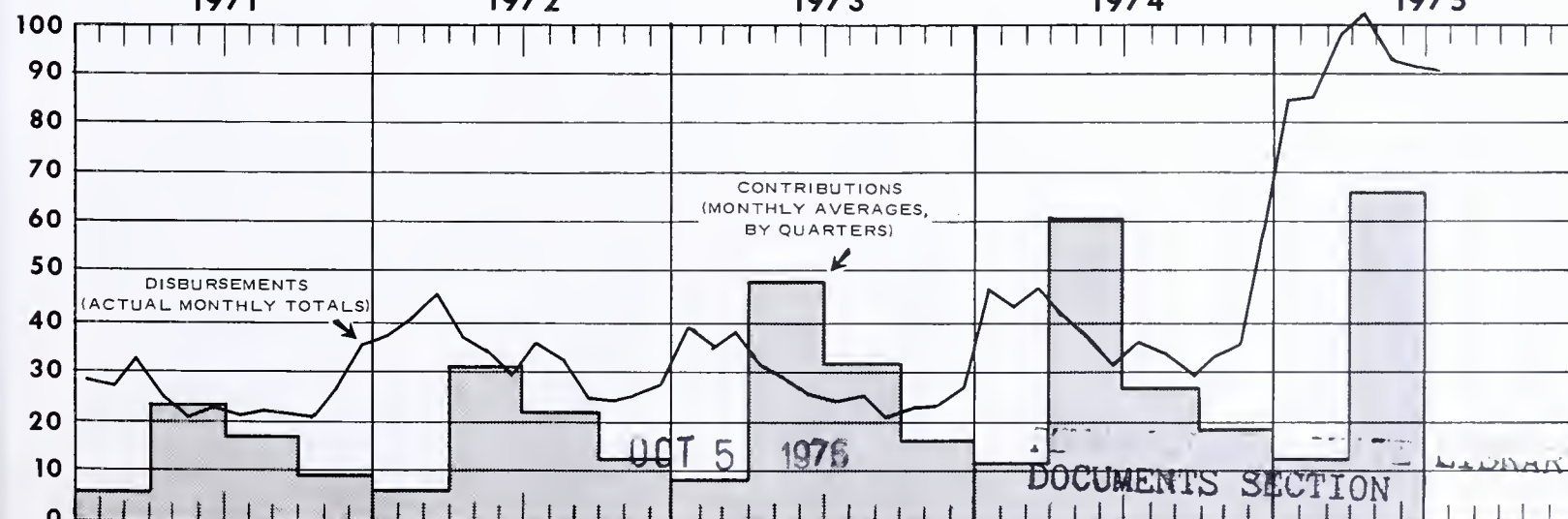
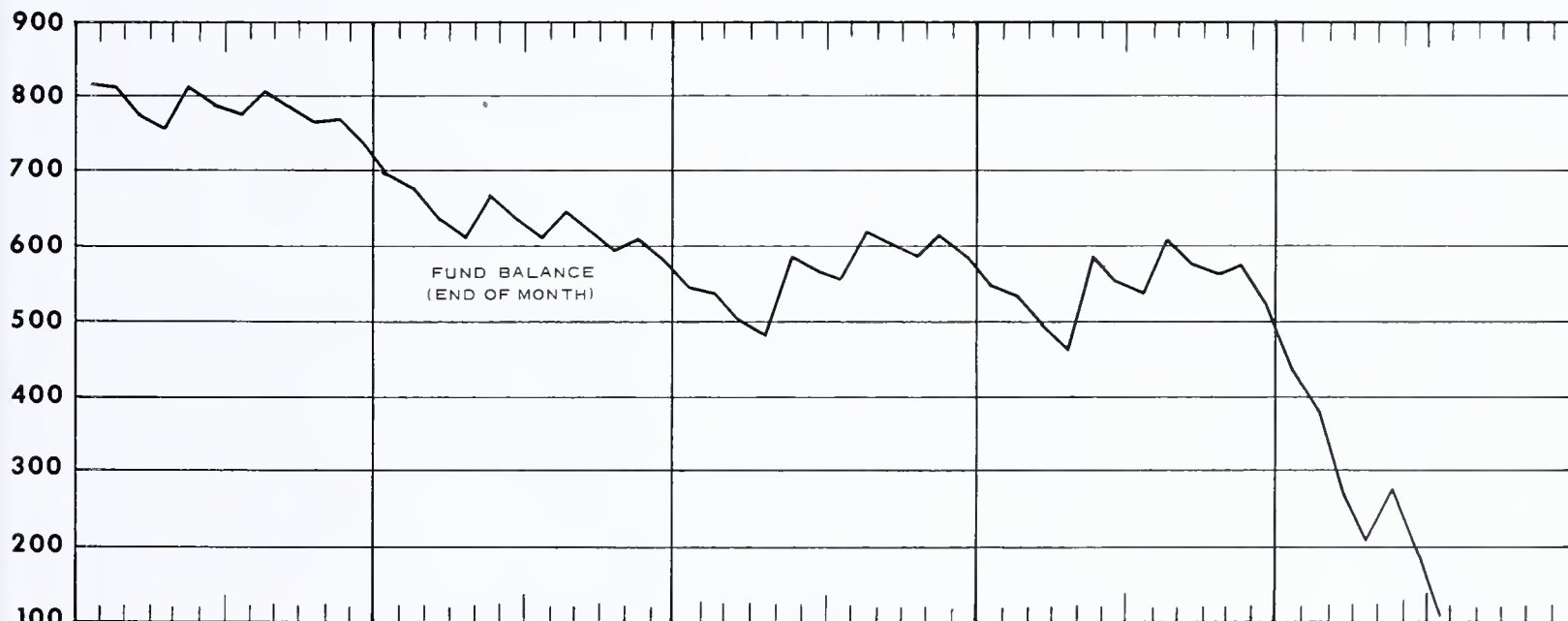
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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	July 1975	June 1975	July 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$28,425,432	\$18,747,482	\$19,463,676	\$316,971,995	\$251,521,378	+26.0
Contributions	23,483,648	3,446,130	16,066,660	258,896,135	231,547,728	+11.8
Interest	0	0	0	14,205,591	15,719,782	- 9.6
Other -	4,941,784	15,301,352	3,397,016	43,870,269	4,253,868	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$90,906,440	\$91,697,150	\$36,332,883	\$647,050,047	\$283,247,750	+128.4
Net Amount	90,759,746	91,445,325	36,247,952	646,073,915	282,319,540	+128.8
Total Unemployment	86,560,312	87,122,847	33,972,204	610,099,289	263,633,847	+131.4
Partial Unemployment	4,346,128	4,574,303	2,360,679	36,950,758	19,613,903	+88.4
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,365,480	\$9,204,565	\$3,368,466	\$50,013,080	\$17,249,428	+189.9
Federal Supplementary Benefits	10,872,938	7,438,248	--	34,173,359	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	7,050,997	1,886,011	--	13,653,864	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$107,452,507	\$190,025,234	\$538,206,703	\$107,452,507	\$538,206,703	-80.0
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	47,185	46,799	36,896	507,866	297,832	+70.5
EB	16,705	14,442	5,677	96,752	35,879	+169.7
FSB	8,183	7,125	--	45,228	--	*
SUA	10,858	5,624	--	40,096	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,177,032	1,186,011	554,918	8,658,694	4,245,261	+104.0
EB	127,982	127,809	49,764	695,919	255,326	+172.6
FSB	152,264	104,954	--	479,741	--	*
SUA	171,733	42,255	--	310,104	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>	1,173,193	1,181,957	551,695	8,617,944	4,213,344	+104.5
Total Unemployment	1,062,631	1,058,823	484,468	7,638,211	3,633,129	+110.2
Partial Unemployment	110,562	123,134	67,227	979,733	580,215	+68.9
Average Weekly Number	255,042	281,418	119,934	283,485	138,597	+104.5
<b>Average Payment</b>	\$77.49	\$77.58	\$65.86	\$75.08	\$67.23	+11.7
Total Unemployment	81.46	82.28	70.12	79.87	72.56	+10.1
Partial Unemployment	39.31	37.15	35.12	37.72	33.80	+11.6
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	18,888	16,990	6,869	87,366	41,162	+112.2
EB	10,121	8,021	4,276	51,598	19,351	+166.6
FSB	0	0	--	0	--	--
SUA	0	0	--	0	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>	163,331	144,468	122,501	1,147,603	700,130	+63.9
New	72,134	63,298	57,521	589,517	366,292	+60.9
Additional	91,197	81,170	64,980	558,086	333,838	+67.2
<b>Financial Determinations</b>	72,901	60,025	55,529	599,614	381,215	+57.3
Eligible	61,867	50,903	46,688	509,233	322,676	+57.8
Ineligible	11,034	9,122	8,841	90,381	58,539	+54.4
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>	1,310,874	1,223,853	652,552	9,387,830	4,628,747	+102.8
Waiting	5,355	39,307	52,004	498,163	337,439	+47.6
Compensable	1,305,519	1,184,546	600,548	8,889,667	4,291,308	+107.2
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>	44,995	40,815	21,191	302,704	158,585	+90.9
Applications	4,697	4,420	3,518	31,186	20,270	+53.9
Continued Claims	40,298	36,395	17,673	271,518	138,315	+96.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>	43,722	41,220	19,571	278,783	141,254	+97.4
Applications	5,346	4,778	3,308	35,646	21,783	+63.6
Continued Claims	38,376	36,442	16,263	243,137	119,471	+103.5
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	1,877	2,536	1,756	16,926	11,529	+46.8
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	33	39	33	244	218	+11.9
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	193,279	193,792	NA	193,792	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JULY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Tobacco Manufactures	1,545	6,506	23.7
Apparel Mfg.	27,133	148,165	18.3
Leather Products	3,878	21,904	17.7
Passenger Transit	2,471	17,552	14.1
Construction	28,736	207,376	13.9
Textile Products	7,579	59,195	12.8
Furniture & Fixtures	3,480	27,430	12.7
Transp. Equip.	8,968	72,454	12.4
Elec. Equip. & Supply	14,877	149,079	10.0
Primary Metals	23,346	237,625	9.8
Rubber & Plastics	3,757	38,537	9.7
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,421	14,830	9.6

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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

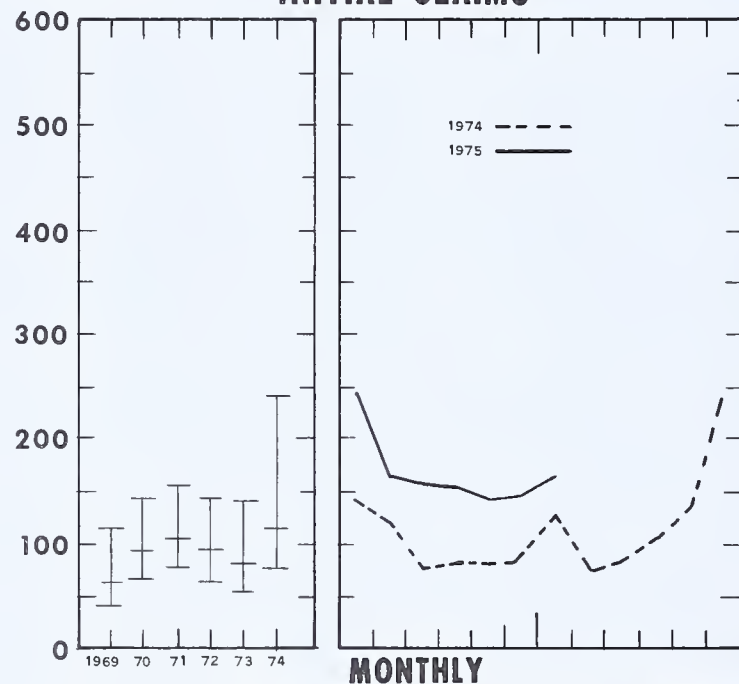
Activity *	July 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,742,217	\$18,438,237
Gross Amount	2,753,152	18,481,110
Total Unemployment	2,694,689	18,032,610
Benefit Payments-Total No.	38,908	270,999
Weeks Compensated	38,680	269,004
Total Unemployment	37,407	258,591
Average Payment	\$71.18	\$68.70
First Payments	1,474	10,537
Final Payments	645	4,114
Initial Claims	2,736	15,283
Continued Claims	35,564	224,206
Benefit Appeals Received	67	503

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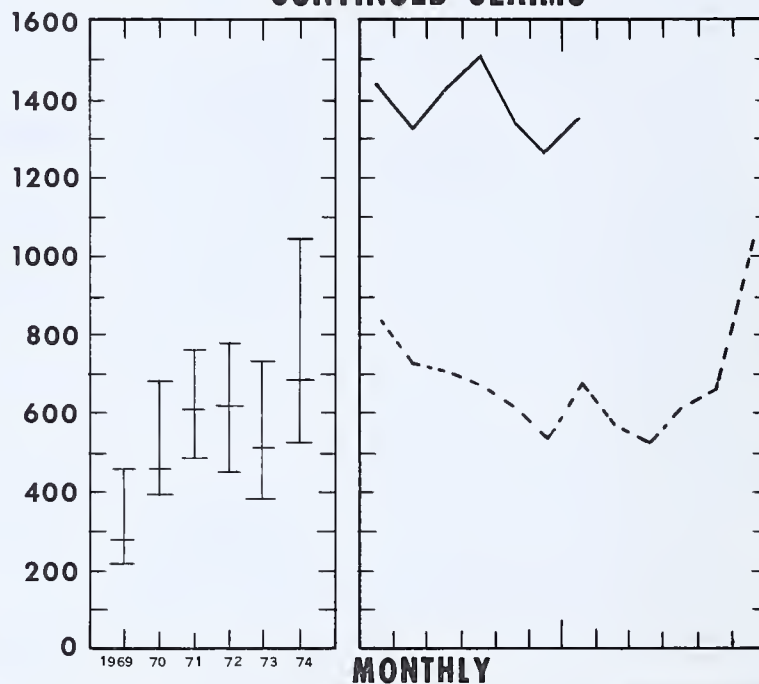
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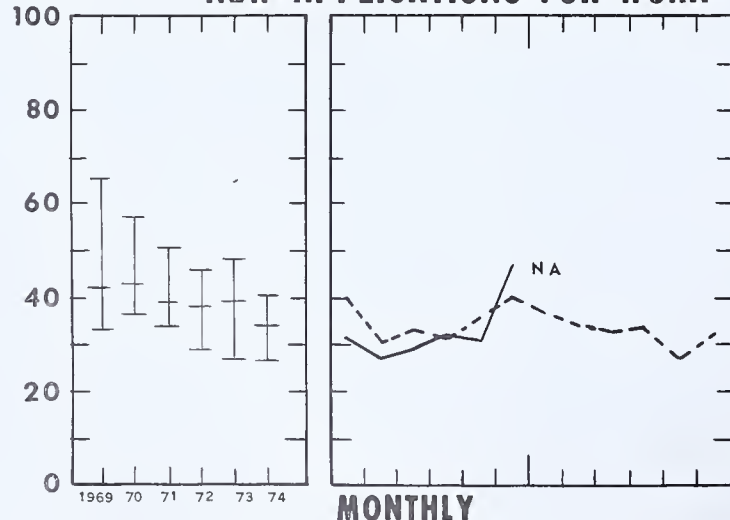


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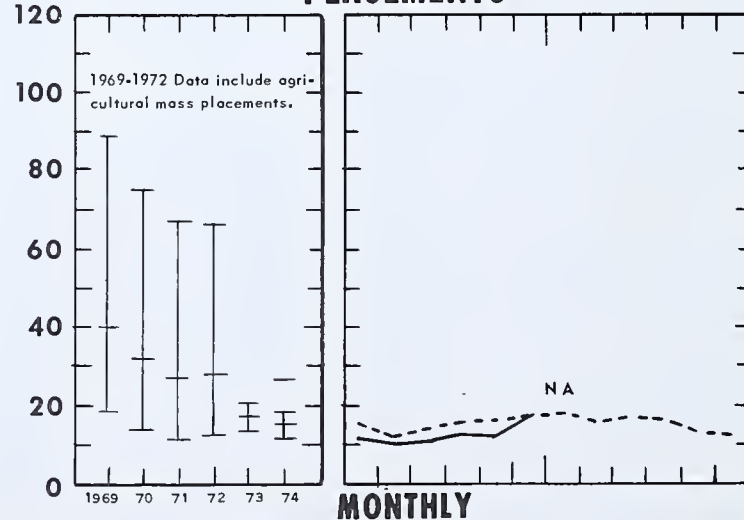


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As of August 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,411,096,854	Applications for Work Taken .....	INA
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$494,155,452	Job Placements Made .....	INA a/
Other Receipts .....	\$142,342,137	Employer Reports Received .....	28,179,032
Total Receipts .....	\$7,047,594,443	Wage Records Received .....	490,067,958
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,882,109,263	No. UC Payments Made* .....	210,858,880
TUC Debt Paid .....	80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,569,853
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	205,417,011	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,146,849
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	91,779,923		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-July 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,187,000
Total Employment .....	4,673,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,381,100
Other Nonfarm .....	c/
Farm .....	c/
Total Unemployment .....	514,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	9.9

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$470.1 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$992.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$84.5 million (as of 8/31/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.63% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.82% (last 12 mos.)

a/ Includes Mass Placements.

b/ 12-month period April 1974-March 1975.

c/ Information no longer available.

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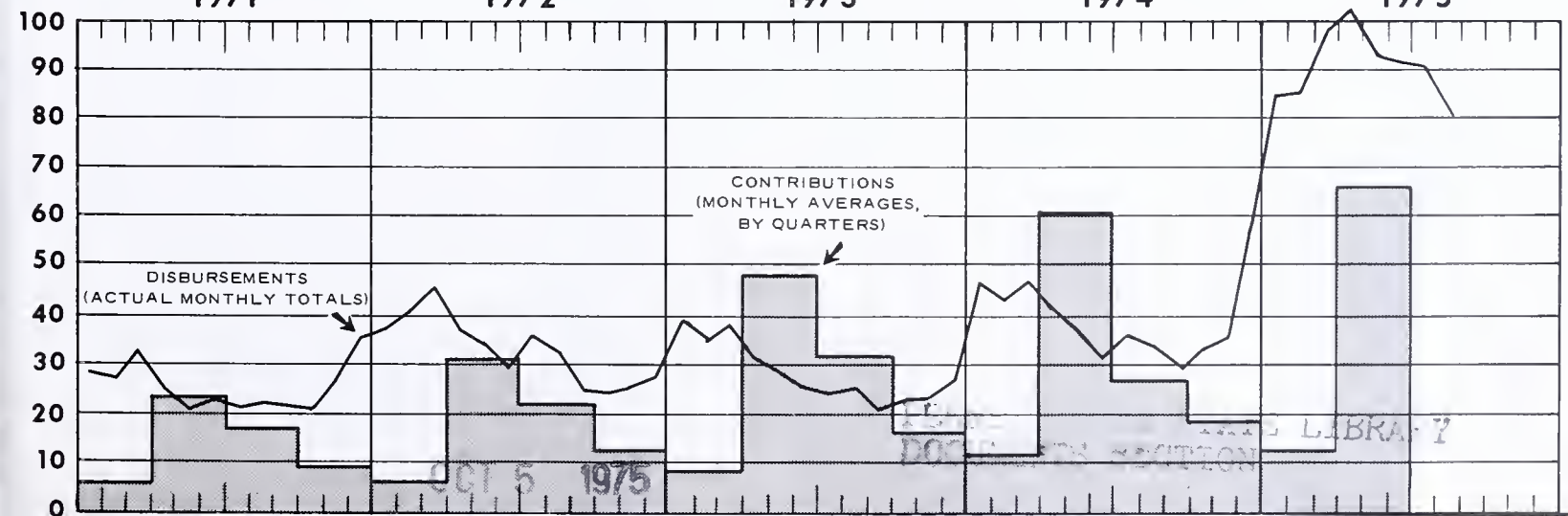
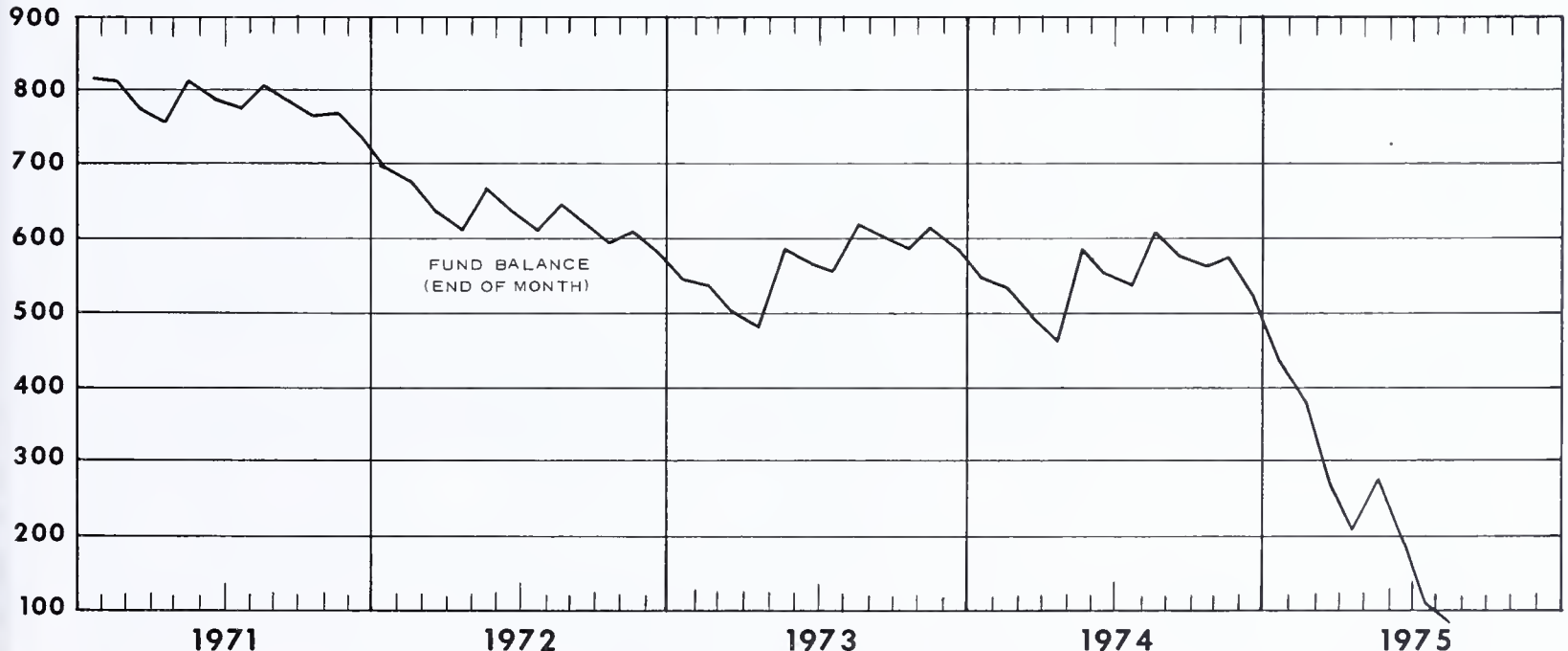
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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	August 1975	July 1975	August 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$82,596,740	\$28,425,432	\$102,205,047	\$399,568,735	\$353,726,425	+13.0
Contributions	82,596,740	23,483,648	92,164,842	341,492,875	323,712,570	+ 5.5
Interest	0	0	7,597,704	14,205,591	23,317,486	-39.1
Other -	0	4,941,784	2,442,501	43,870,269	6,696,369	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$80,766,093	\$90,906,440	\$33,368,214	\$727,816,140	\$316,615,964	+130.0
Net Amount	80,631,898	90,759,746	33,415,039	726,705,813	315,734,579	+130.2
Total Unemployment	76,877,235	86,560,312	31,209,386	686,976,524	294,843,233	+133.0
Partial Unemployment	3,888,858	4,346,128	2,158,828	40,839,616	21,772,731	+87.6
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$11,538,676	\$9,365,480	\$290,510	\$61,551,755	\$17,539,938	+251.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	13,356,914	10,872,938	--	47,530,273	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	10,166,331	7,050,997	--	23,820,195	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$84,521,755	\$107,452,507	\$606,706,200	\$84,521,755	\$606,706,200	-86.1
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	49,679	47,185	31,590	557,545	329,422	+69.2
EB	26,104	16,705	1,410	122,856	37,289	+229.5
FSB	11,728	8,183	--	56,956	--	*
SUA	9,448	10,858	--	49,544	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,048,453	1,177,032	518,125	9,707,147	4,763,386	+103.8
EB	155,297	127,982	4,439	851,216	259,765	+227.7
FSB	186,221	152,264	--	665,962	--	*
SUA	223,894	171,733	--	533,998	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,043,714	1,173,193	514,695	9,661,658	4,728,039	+104.3
Partial Unemployment	942,571	1,062,631	449,153	8,580,782	4,082,282	+110.2
Average Weekly Number	101,143	110,562	65,542	1,080,876	645,757	+67.4
	248,503	255,042	116,976	279,239	135,863	+105.5
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$77.38	\$77.49	\$64.83	\$75.33	\$66.97	+12.5
Partial Unemployment	\$81.56	\$81.46	\$69.48	\$80.06	\$72.23	+10.8
	\$38.45	\$39.31	\$32.94	\$37.78	\$33.72	+12.0
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	28,662	18,888	8,783	116,028	49,945	+132.3
EB	12,146	10,121	214	63,744	19,565	+225.8
FSB	0	0	--	0	--	--
SUA	0	0	--	0	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	118,026	163,331	75,596	1,265,629	775,726	+63.2
Additional	52,227	72,134	33,471	641,744	399,763	+60.5
	65,799	91,197	42,125	623,885	375,963	+65.9
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	56,899	72,901	35,544	656,513	416,759	+57.5
Ineligible	48,443	61,867	30,974	557,676	353,650	+57.7
	8,456	11,034	4,570	98,837	63,109	+56.6
<b>Continued Claims - Intrastate</b>	1,117,637	1,351,172	556,618	10,505,467	5,188,365	+103.8
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	42,110	44,995	18,774	344,814	177,359	+94.4
Continued Claims	4,381	4,697	2,498	35,567	22,768	+56.2
	37,729	40,298	16,276	309,247	154,591	+100.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	40,887	43,722	17,768	319,670	159,022	+101.0
Continued Claims	4,596	5,346	2,768	40,242	24,551	+63.9
	36,291	38,376	15,000	279,428	134,471	+107.8
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	3,046	1,877	2,067	19,972	13,596	+46.9
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	75	33	24	319	242	+31.8
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	192,177	193,293	NA	193,293	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-AUGUST

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Tobacco Mfgs.	1,333	6,317	21.1
Leather Products	3,656	20,942	17.5
Passenger Transit	2,906	17,656	16.5
Apparel Mfg.	23,299	142,030	16.4
Construction	26,442	202,098	13.1
Transportation Equip.	8,969	71,770	12.5
Textile Products	6,624	56,110	11.8
Furniture & Fixtures	2,841	25,822	11.0
Elec. Equip. & Supply	14,172	144,716	9.8
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,387	14,229	9.7
Rubber & Plastics	3,339	37,424	8.9
Primary Metals	20,511	236,213	8.7

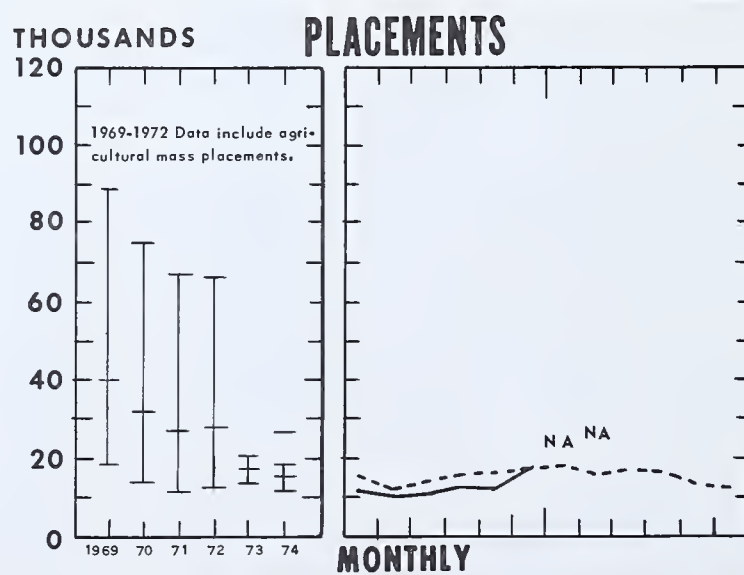
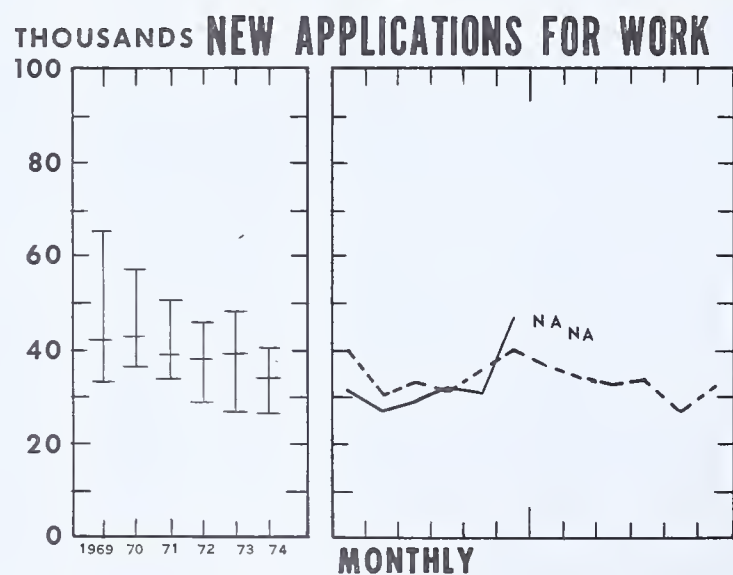
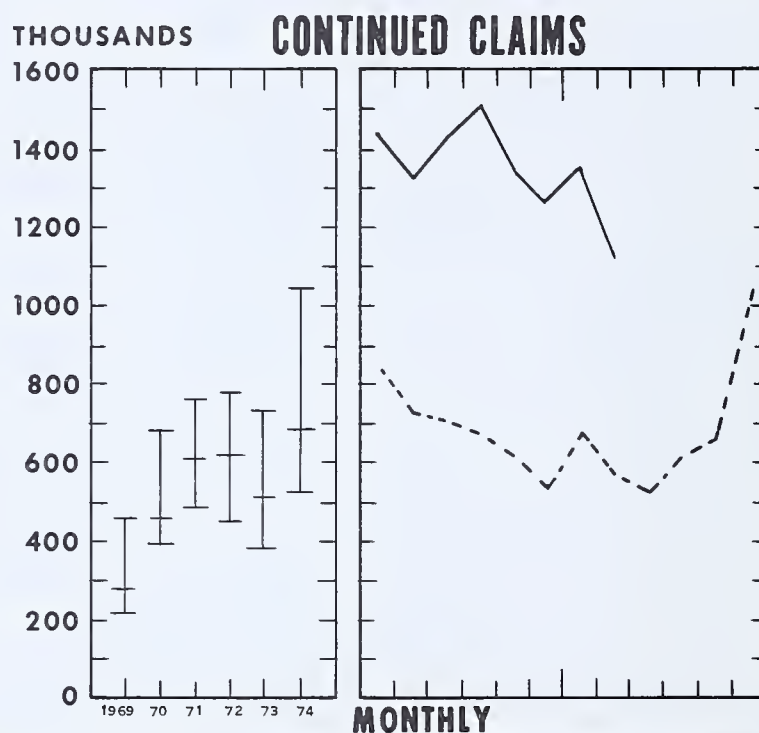
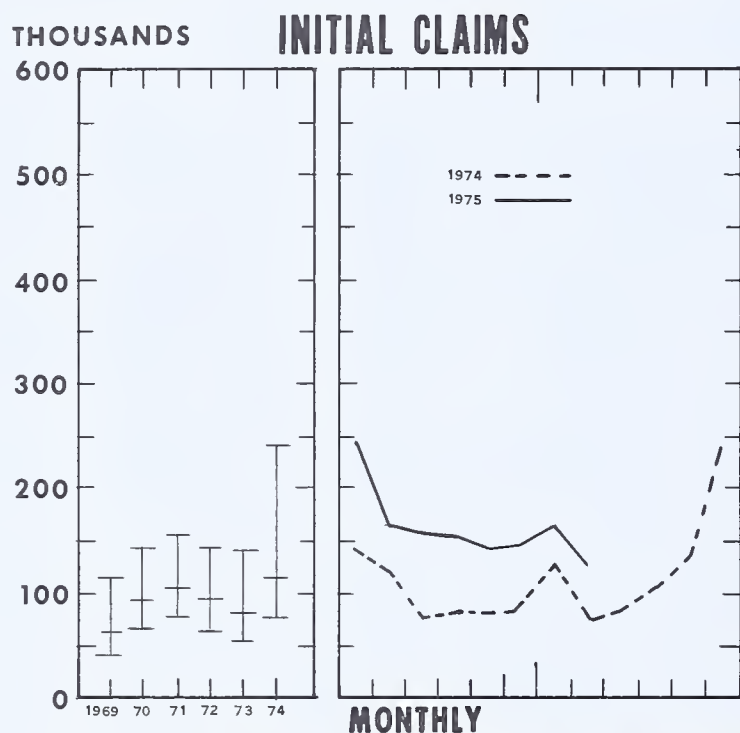
\* Most recent 12-month average.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	August 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,948,068	\$21,386,305
Gross Amount	2,953,815	21,434,925
Total Unemployment	2,890,338	20,922,948
Benefit Payments-Total No.	41,142	312,141
Weeks Compensated	40,899	309,903
Total Unemployment	39,462	298,053
Average Payment	\$72.22	\$69.17
First Payments	2,316	12,853
Final Payments	742	4,856
Initial Claims	2,680	17,963
Continued Claims	34,914	259,120
Benefit Appeals Received	78	581

\* Does not include Extended Benefits or Federal Supplementary Benefits.

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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

SEPTEMBER 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of September 30, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,413,597,419
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$497,764,788
Other Receipts .....	\$220,859,164
Total Receipts .....	\$7,132,221,371
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$6,984,284,916
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$208,271,868
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$93,108,993

Applications for Work Taken .....	INA
Job Placements Made .....	INA a/
Employer Reports Received .....	28,186,401
Wage Records Received .....	491,777,687
No. UC Payments Made* .....	212,193,451
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,607,705
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,167,534

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-August 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,144,200
Total Employment .....	4,680,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,391,400
Total Unemployment .....	464,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.0

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$552.4 million (last 12 mos.)
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,064.7 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	67.0 million (as of 9/30/75)
Contribution Rate .....	2.63% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.09% (last 12 mos.)

### U.C. Covered Statistics

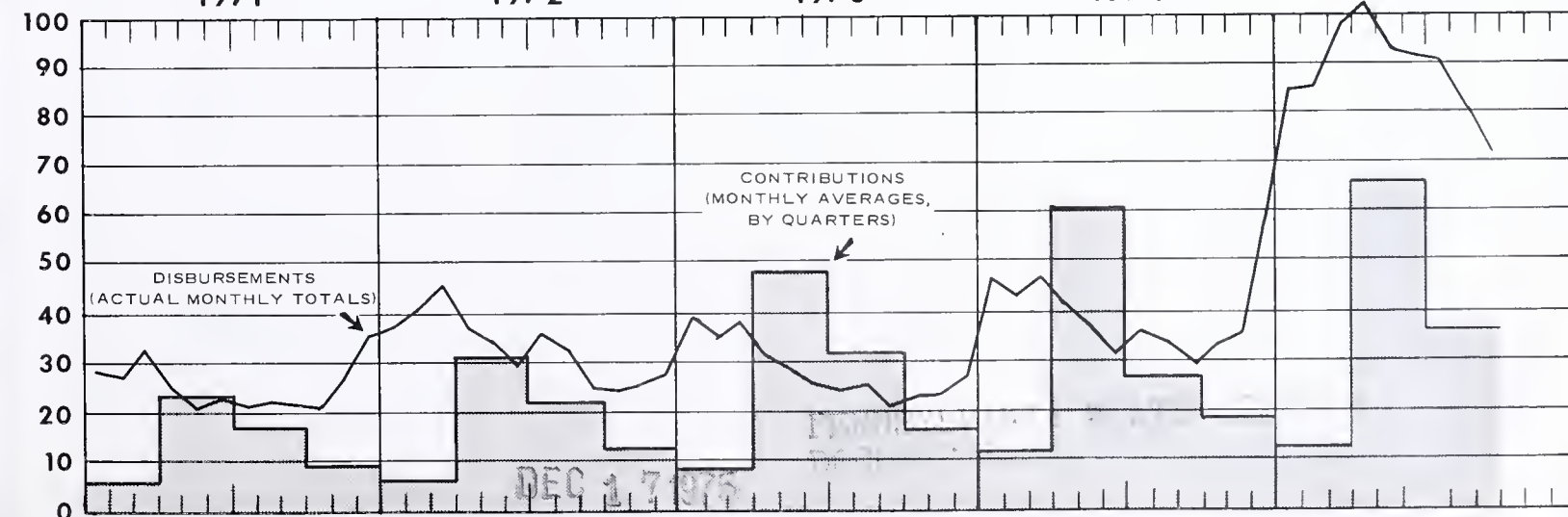
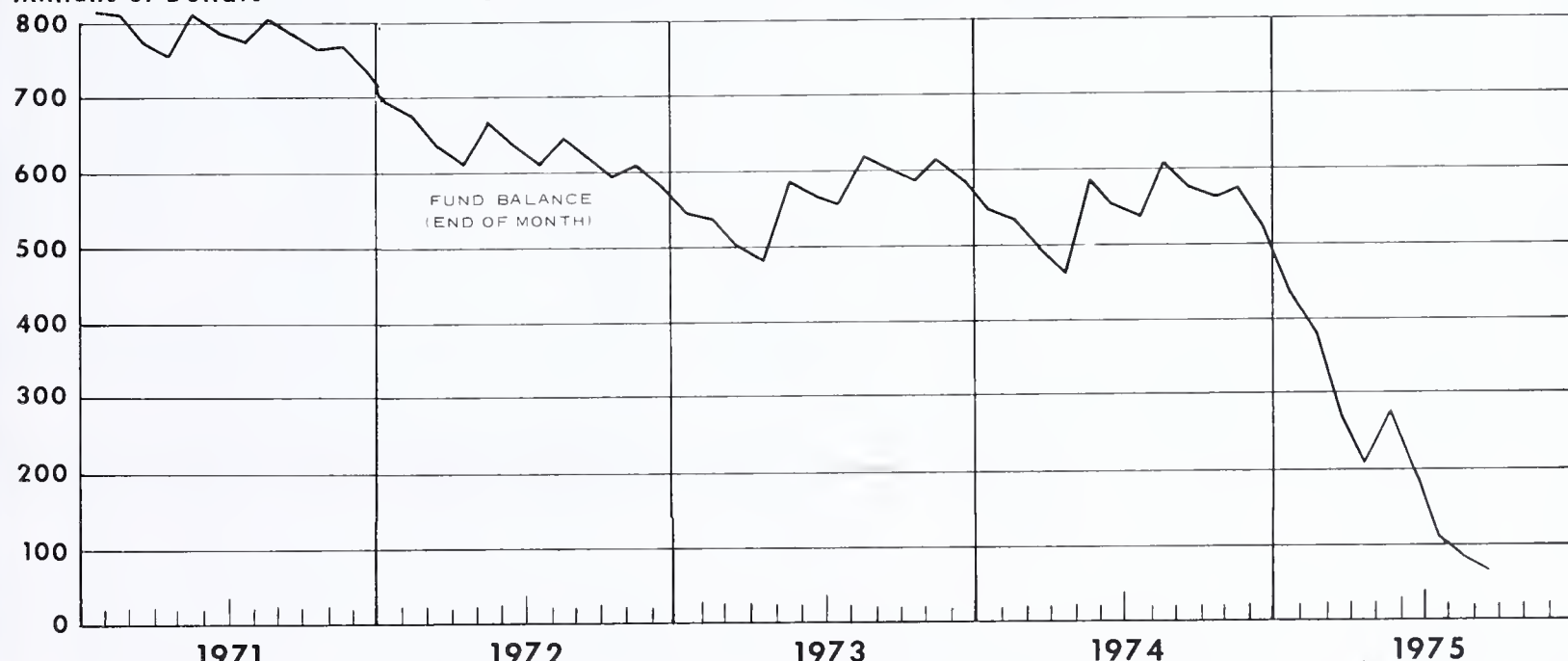
Employment .....	3.8 million (12 mo. avg.) b/
Employers .....	191.9 thousand (as of 8/31/75)
Total Wages .....	36.6 billion per yr. b/
Taxable Wages .....	15.2 billion per yr. b/

a/ Includes Mass Placements.

b/ 12-month period April 1974 - March 1975.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	September 1975	August 1975	September 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$84,626,928	\$82,596,740	\$2,417,596	\$484,195,663	\$356,144,021	+36.0
Contributions	2,500,565	82,596,740	2,417,596	343,993,440	326,130,166	+ 5.5
Interest	3,609,335	0	0	17,814,926	23,317,486	-23.6
Other	78,517,028	0	0	122,387,297	6,696,369	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$71,859,391	\$80,766,093	\$29,715,414	\$799,675,531	\$346,331,378	+130.9
Net Amount	71,600,700	80,631,898	29,682,694	798,306,513	345,417,273	+131.1
Total Unemployment	68,025,425	76,877,235	27,478,380	755,001,949	322,321,613	+134.2
Partial Unemployment	3,833,966	3,888,858	2,237,034	44,673,582	24,009,765	+86.1
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$15,765,731	\$11,538,676	\$92,030	\$77,317,486	\$17,631,968	+338.5
Federal Supplementary Benefits	14,809,222	13,356,914	--	62,339,495	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	8,245,068	10,166,331	--	32,065,263	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$66,973,030	\$84,521,755	\$579,349,072	\$66,973,030	\$579,349,072	-88.4
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	38,190	49,679	25,169	595,735	354,591	+68.0
EB	26,605	26,104	696	149,461	37,985	+293.5
FSB	13,101	11,728	--	70,057	--	*
SUA	7,561	9,448	--	57,105	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	928,891	1,048,453	461,300	10,636,038	5,224,686	+103.6
EB	203,846	155,297	1,433	1,055,062	261,198	+303.9
FSB	204,494	186,221	--	870,456	--	*
SUA	163,660	233,894	--	697,658	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	923,999	1,043,714	458,541	10,585,657	5,186,580	+104.1
Partial Unemployment	825,138	942,571	390,385	9,405,920	4,472,667	+110.3
Average Weekly Number	98,861	101,143	68,156	1,179,737	713,913	+65.2
	209,999	248,503	109,176	271,427	132,989	+104.1
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$77.77	\$77.38	\$64.80	\$75.54	\$66.77	+13.1
Partial Unemployment	82.44	81.56	70.39	80.27	72.06	+11.4
	38.78	38.45	32.82	37.87	33.63	+12.6
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	26,414	28,662	7,170	142,442	57,115	+149.4
EB	13,779	12,146	33	77,523	19,598	+295.6
FSB	10,467	0	--	10,467	--	--
SUA	222	0	--	222	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	121,687	118,026	80,153	1,387,316	855,879	+62.1
Additional	46,536	52,227	36,079	688,280	435,842	+57.9
	75,151	65,799	44,074	699,036	420,037	+66.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	44,854	56,899	35,708	701,367	452,467	+55.0
Ineligible	37,640	48,443	30,915	595,316	384,565	+54.8
	7,214	8,456	4,793	106,051	67,902	+56.2
<b>Claims - Intrastate - Continued</b>	1,001,785	1,117,637	507,425	11,507,252	5,692,790	+102.1
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	43,582	42,110	18,774	388,396	195,921	+98.2
Continued Claims	5,214	4,381	2,498	40,781	25,528	+59.8
	38,368	37,729	16,276	347,615	170,393	+104.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	41,084	40,887	18,032	360,754	177,054	+103.8
Continued Claims	4,759	4,596	3,228	45,001	27,779	+62.0
	36,325	36,291	14,804	315,753	149,275	+111.5
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	2,864	3,046	1,668	22,836	15,264	+49.6
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	30	75	31	349	273	+27.8
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	191,945	193,581	NA	193,581	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-SEPTEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Tobacco Mfrs.	1,047	6,317	16.6
Leather Products	3,397	20,942	16.2
Apparel Mfg.	20,093	142,030	14.1
Construction	23,469	202,098	11.6
Transp. Equip.	7,253	71,770	10.1
Passenger Transit	1,700	17,656	9.6
Textile Products	5,201	56,110	9.3
Furniture & Fixtures	2,325	25,822	9.0
Elec. Equip. & Supply	10,793	144,716	7.5
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,045	14,229	7.3
Primary Metals	16,338	236,213	6.9
Fab. Metal Products	7,624	111,846	6.8

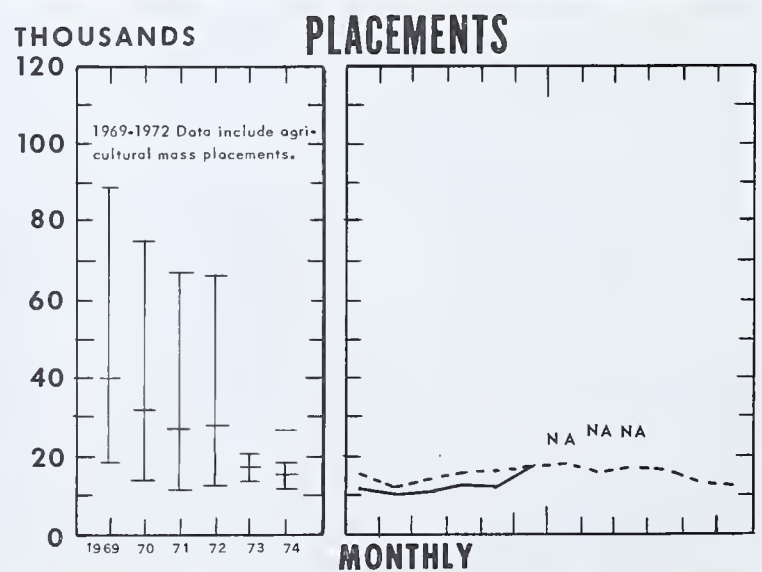
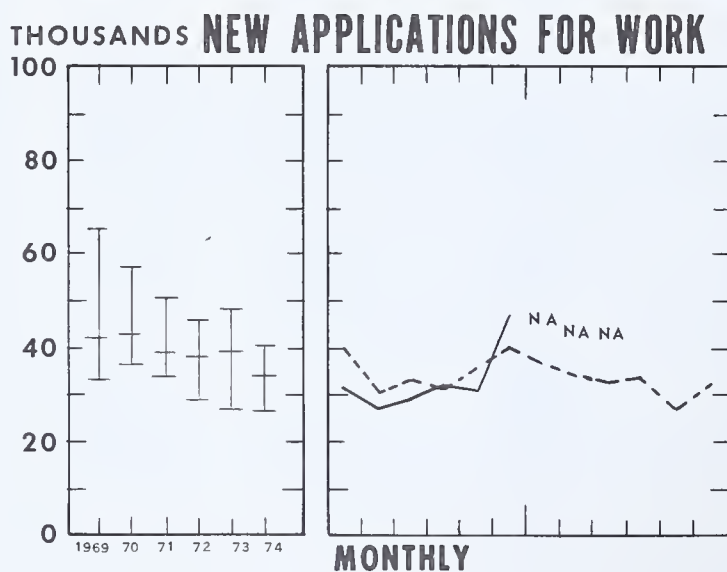
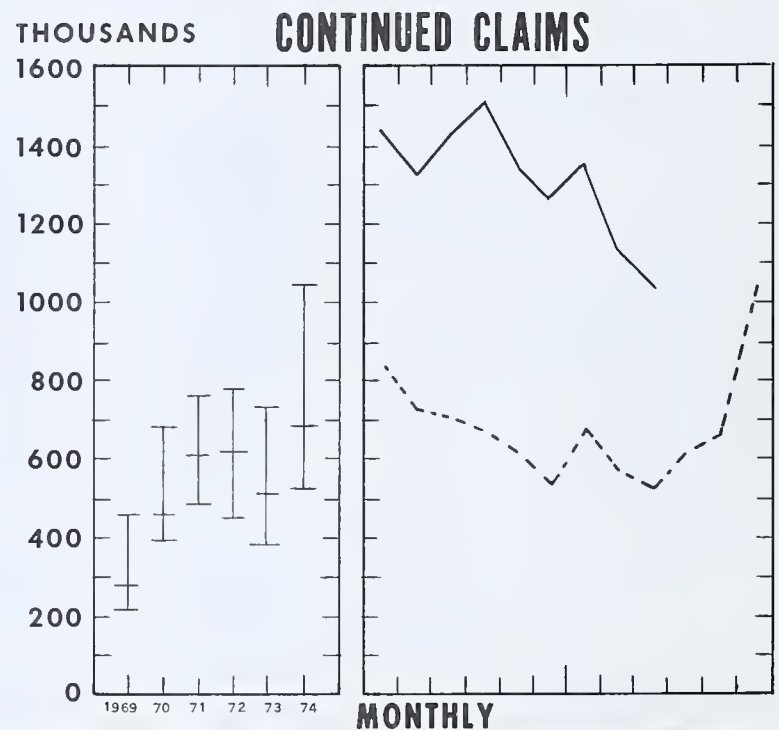
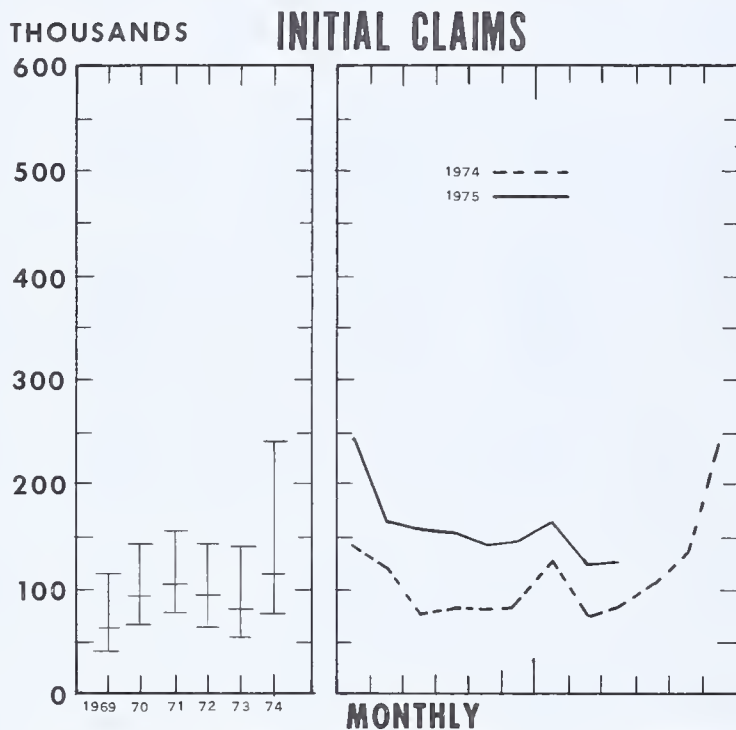
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	September 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,926,308	\$24,312,613
Gross Amount	2,950,809	24,385,734
Total Unemployment	2,884,450	23,807,398
Benefit Payments-Total No.	40,711	352,852
Weeks Compensated	40,335	350,238
Total Unemployment	38,831	336,884
Average Payment	\$73.16	\$69.63
First Payments	2,010	14,863
Final Payments	704	5,560
Initial Claims	2,828	20,791
Continued Claims	35,302	294,422
Benefit Appeals Received	79	660

\* Does not include Extended Benefits or Federal Supplementary Benefits.

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OCTOBER 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of October 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,429,239,770
Interest on UC Fund .....	497,764,788
Other Receipts .....	279,886,517 <sup>a/</sup>
Total Receipts .....	7,206,891,075 <sup>a/</sup>
UC Benefits Paid .....	7,086,861,971
TUC Debt Paid .....	80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	211,163,349
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	94,497,671

Applications for Work Taken .....	INA
Job Placements Made .....	INA <sup>b/</sup>
Employer Reports Received .....	28,261,114
Wage Records Received .....	492,676,180
No. UC Payments Made* .....	213,504,012
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,646,046
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,189,540

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-September 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,086,800
Total Employment .....	4,656,800
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,394,400
Total Unemployment .....	430,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.5

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$611.3 million (last 12 mos.) <sup>a/</sup>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,134.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$8.8 million (as of 10/31/75) <sup>a/</sup>
Contribution Rate .....	2.65% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.33% (last 12 mos.)

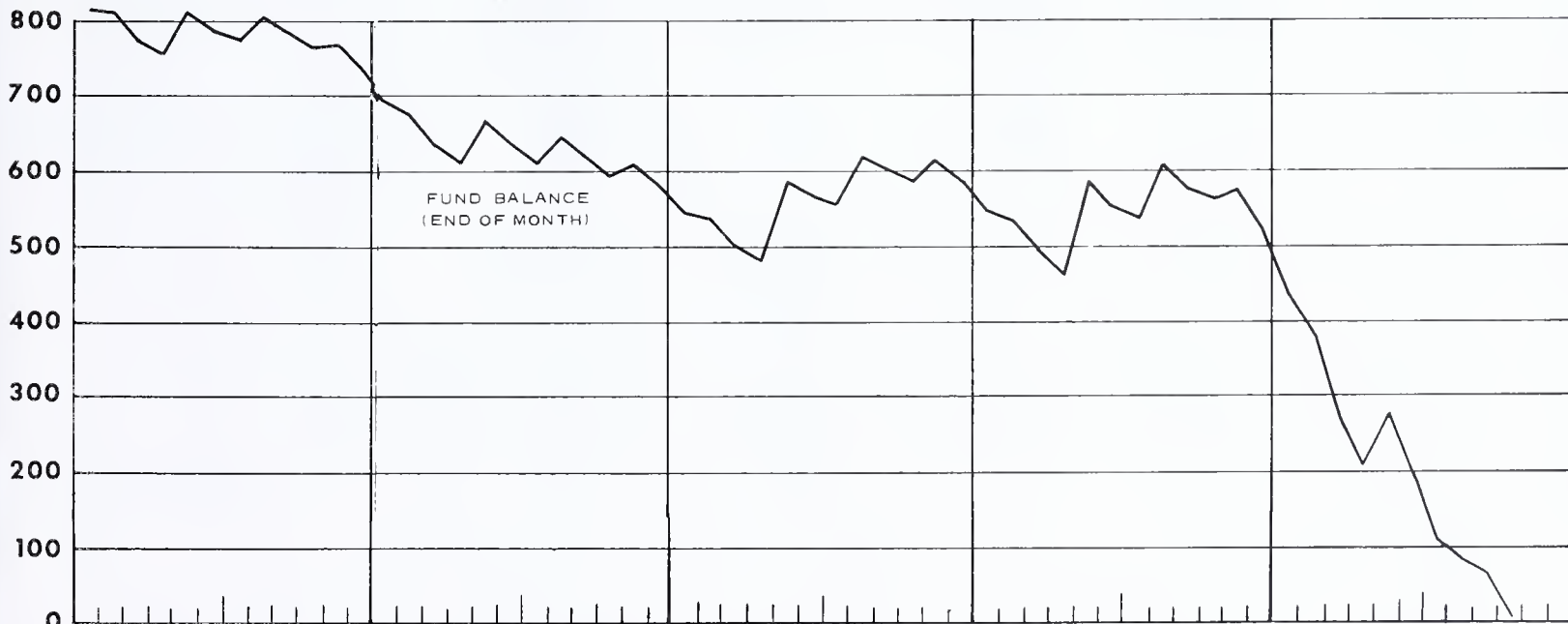
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3.8 million (12 mo. avg.) <sup>c/</sup>
Employers .....	193.1 thousand (as of 9/30/75)
Total Wages .....	\$36.6 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.2 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>

<sup>a/</sup> Includes Federal loans of \$34,527,353.<sup>b/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.<sup>c/</sup> 12-month period April 1974 - March 1975.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



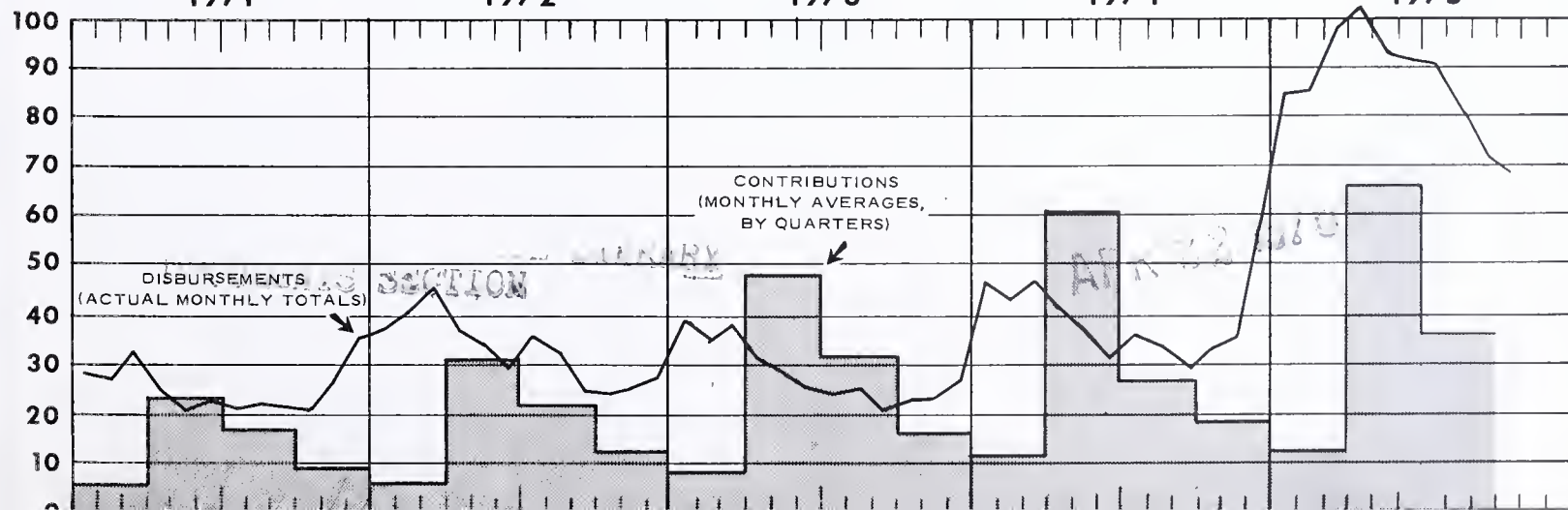
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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES 1/

Activity	October 1975	September 1975	October 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$74,669,704	\$84,626,928	\$15,736,286	\$558,865,367	\$371,880,307	+50.3
Contributions	15,642,351	2,500,565	12,589,146	359,635,791	338,719,312	+ 6.2
Interest	0	3,609,335	0	17,814,926	23,317,486	-23.6
Other	59,027,353	78,517,028	3,147,140	181,414,650	9,843,509	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$68,686,595	\$71,859,391	\$33,229,765	\$868,362,126	\$379,561,143	+128.8
Net Amount	68,756,780	71,600,700	33,031,074	867,063,293	378,448,347	+129.1
Total Unemployment	64,508,550	68,025,425	30,547,967	819,510,499	352,869,580	+132.2
Partial Unemployment	4,178,045	3,833,966	2,681,798	48,851,627	26,691,563	+83.0
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$17,540,336	\$15,765,731	\$19,276	\$94,857,822	\$17,651,244	+437.4
Federal Supplementary Benefits	16,279,939	14,809,222	--	78,619,434	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance 2/	3,163,828	8,245,068	--	35,229,091	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$8,756,154	\$66,973,030	\$562,035,008	\$8,756,154	\$562,035,008	-744.2
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	38,507	38,190	32,160	634,242	386,751	+64.0
EB	23,552	26,605	132	173,013	38,117	+353.9
FSB	19,004	13,101	--	89,061	--	*
SUA	2,069	7,561	--	59,174	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	871,574	928,891	510,379	11,507,612	5,735,065	+100.7
EB	218,625	203,846	375	1,273,687	261,573	+386.9
FSB	220,730	204,494	--	1,091,186	--	*
SUA	58,181	163,660	--	755,839	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	867,312	923,999	507,264	11,452,969	5,693,844	+101.1
Partial Unemployment	763,258	825,138	424,841	10,169,178	4,897,508	+107.6
Average Weekly Number	104,054	98,861	82,423	1,283,791	796,336	+61.2
	188,546	209,999	110,275	262,683	130,593	+101.1
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$79.19	\$77.77	\$65.51	\$75.82	\$66.66	+13.7
Partial Unemployment	84.52	82.44	71.90	80.59	72.05	+11.9
	40.15	38.78	32.54	38.05	33.52	+13.5
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	22,104	26,414	7,274	164,546	64,389	+155.5
EB	22,521	13,779	22	100,044	19,620	+410.0
FSB	4,585	10,467	--	15,052	--	--
SUA	526	222	--	748	--	--
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	121,571	121,687	105,092	1,508,887	960,971	+57.0
Additional	51,266	46,536	51,421	739,546	487,263	+51.8
	70,305	75,151	53,671	769,341	473,708	+62.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	51,068	44,854	49,391	752,435	501,858	+49.9
Ineligible	40,756	37,640	41,578	636,072	426,143	+49.3
	10,312	7,214	7,813	116,363	75,715	+53.7
<b>Claims - Intrastate - Continued</b>						
	982,483	1,001,785	587,358	12,489,735	6,280,148	+98.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	43,955	43,582	22,302	432,351	218,223	+98.1
Continued Claims	4,455	5,214	3,327	45,236	28,855	+56.8
	39,500	38,368	18,975	387,115	189,368	+104.4
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	43,882	41,084	19,147	404,636	196,201	+106.2
Continued Claims	5,222	4,759	3,695	50,223	31,474	+59.6
	38,660	36,325	15,452	354,413	164,727	+115.2
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	3,709	2,864	1,919	26,545	17,183	+54.5
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	49	30	35	398	308	+29.2
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	193,077	192,552	NA	192,552	--

Percentage change not applicable.  
 / Unless otherwise indicated, all data are for Regular UC only.  
 / SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-OCTOBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Tobacco Mfgs.	1,034	6,317	16.4
Leather Products	2,970	20,942	14.2
Apparel Mfg.	16,941	142,030	11.9
Construction	23,784	202,098	11.8
Transp. Equip.	6,212	71,770	8.7
Textile Products	4,473	56,110	8.0
Furniture & Fixtures	1,846	25,822	7.1
Primary Metals	15,841	236,213	6.7
Fabricated Metal Prod.	7,225	111,846	6.5
Trucking & Warehousing	4,298	73,875	5.8
Rubber & Plastics	2,151	37,424	5.7
Coal Mining	1,951	34,030	5.7

\* Most recent 12-month average.

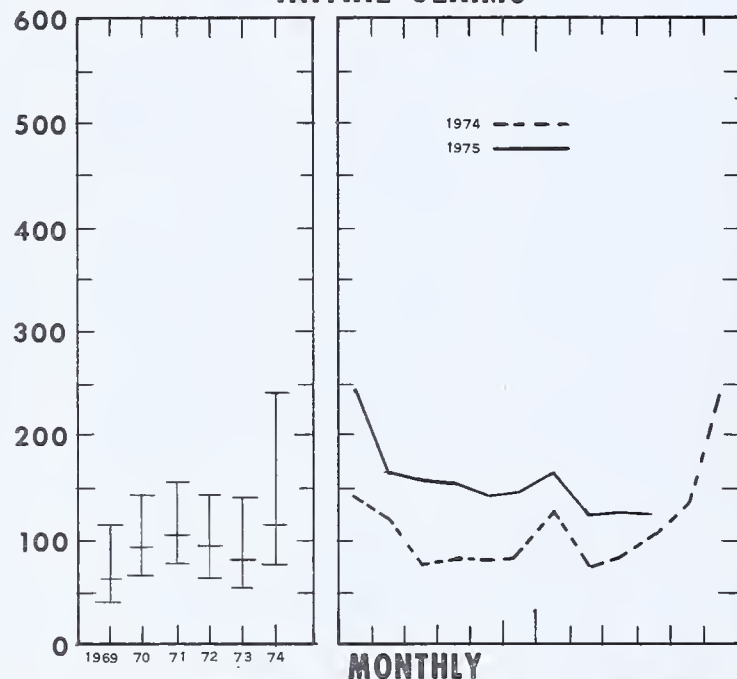
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	October 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,026,625	\$27,339,238
Gross Amount	3,030,520	27,416,254
Total Unemployment	2,957,128	26,764,526
Benefit Payments-Total No.	42,155	395,007
Weeks Compensated	41,855	392,093
Total Unemployment	40,160	377,044
Average Payment	\$72.41	\$69.92
First Payments	1,983	16,846
Final Payments	651	6,211
Initial Claims	2,471	23,262
Continued Claims	36,697	331,119
Benefit Appeals Received	95	755

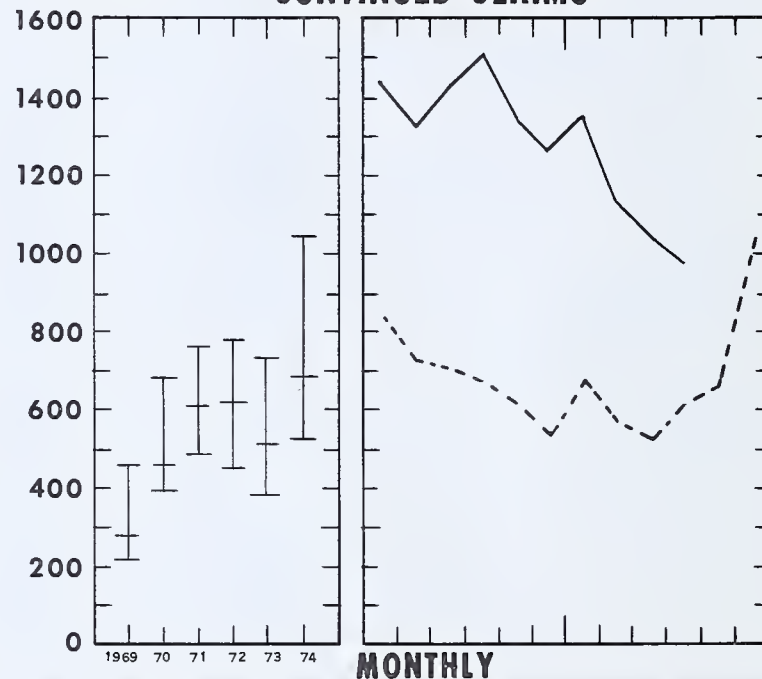
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## ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1969 TO DATE

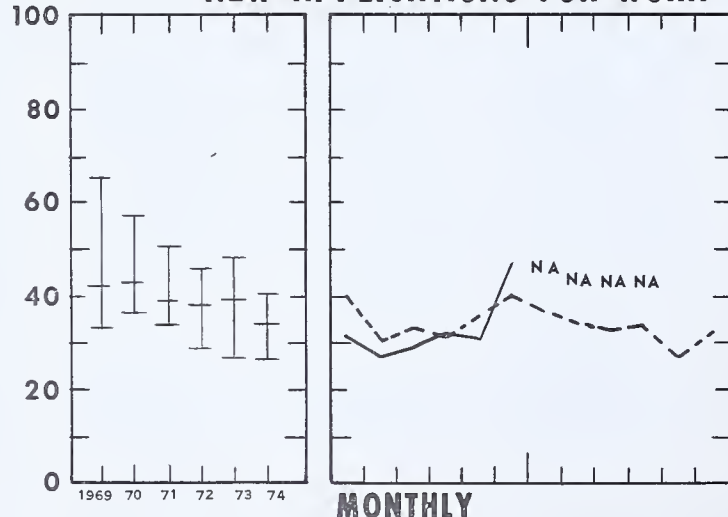
### THOUSANDS INITIAL CLAIMS



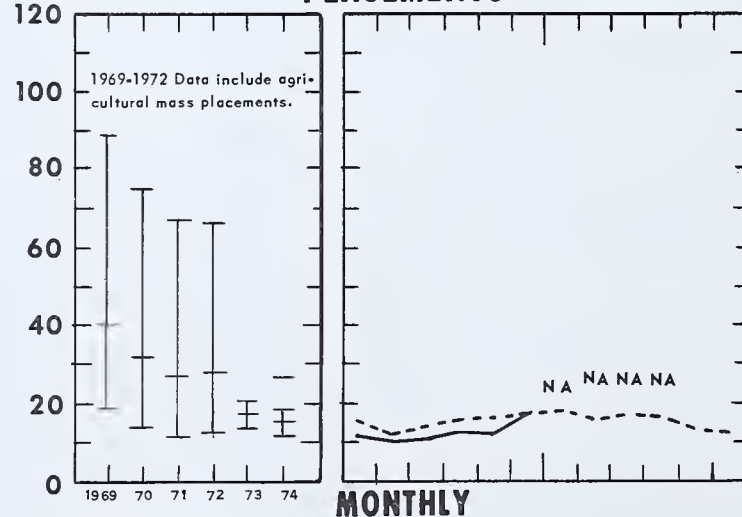
### THOUSANDS CONTINUED CLAIMS



### THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK



### THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS



Tables and charts on these pages include the principal statistics of current significance relating to the operation of the employment service and unemployment compensation programs. The data concerning the various activities of the Bureau are derived from periodic reports collected from the offices of the Pennsylvania State Employment Service and the various divisions responsible for the administration of the Pennsylvania U.C. Law.

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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

NOVEMBER 1975

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975

As of November 30, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,467,373,239	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,373,838
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$497,764,788	Job Placements Made .....	14,628,919 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$337,724,169** <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,371,341
Total Receipts .....	\$7,302,862,193** <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	494,826,298
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,176,445,859	No. UC Payments Made* .....	214,630,868
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,679,471
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$213,693,068	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,208,289
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$95,675,140		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-October 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,121,700
Total Employment .....	4,687,700
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,429,100
Total Unemployment .....	434,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.5

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts ....	\$656.3** million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements	\$1,187.8 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance.....	\$45.5** million (as of 11/30/75) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.69% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.62% (last 12 mos.)

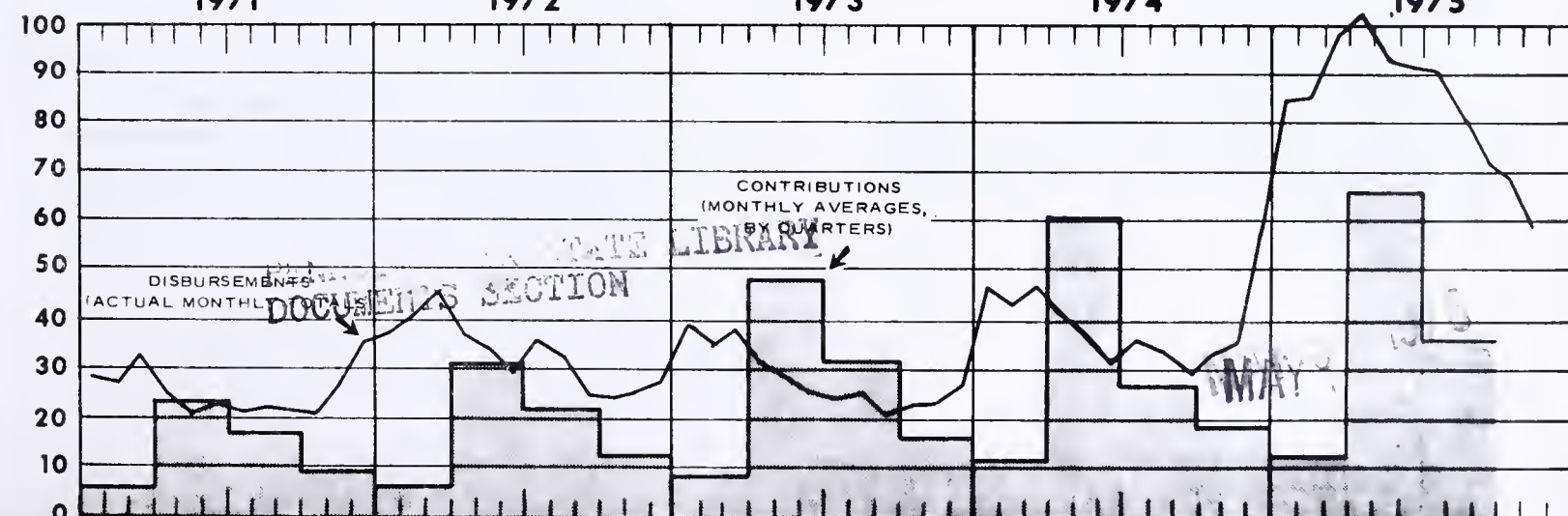
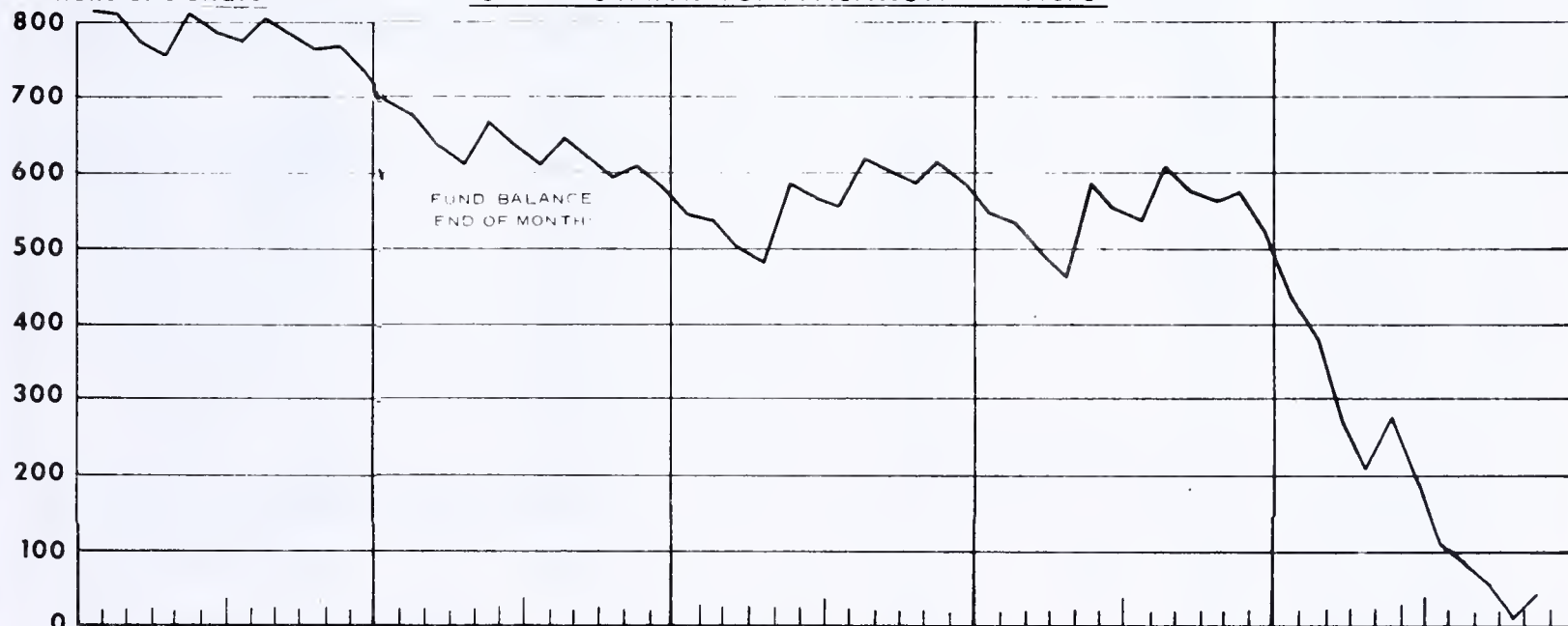
### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3.8 million (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	192.3 thousand (as of 10/31/75)
Total Wages .....	\$36.9 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal loans of \$63,840,353.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
c/ 12-month period July 1974 - June 1975.  
 \*\* Adjusted.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	November 1975	November 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	162,125	162,855	- 0.5
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	381,948	382,287	- 0.1
Disadvantaged	151,509	126,209	+20.0
Black	86,475	87,529	- 1.2
Handicapped	27,429	33,849	-19.0
Veteran	71,631	67,804	+ 5.6
Handicapped Veteran	8,895	10,052	-11.5
Vietnam Era	41,233	38,698	+ 6.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	17,206	23,491	-26.8
Disadvantaged	9,163	11,649	-21.4
Black	3,806	5,642	-32.5
Handicapped	4,079	6,571	-37.9
Veteran	4,532	6,501	-30.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	7,078	12,256	-42.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	96,004	117,198	-18.1
Nonagricultural	94,079	114,543	-17.9
Agricultural	1,925	2,655	-27.5
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	28,559	14,478	+97.3
Nonagricultural	28,329	14,390	+96.9
Agricultural	230	88	+161.4
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	60,415	70,029	-13.7
Nonagricultural	59,261	68,908	-14.0
Disadvantaged	21,057	15,454	+36.3
Black	13,030	13,505	- 3.5
Handicapped	2,944	5,074	-42.0
Veteran	8,222	11,625	-29.3
Handicapped Veteran	1,034	1,659	-37.7
Vietnam Era	5,762	8,089	-28.8
Short Time	3,090	4,155	-25.6
Disadvantaged	561	543	+ 3.3
Black	736	997	-26.2
Agricultural	1,259	1,269	- 0.8
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	71,752	85,453	-16.0
Nonagricultural	69,433	82,578	-15.9
Agricultural	2,319	2,875	-19.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	16,900	28,690	-41.1
Disadvantaged	5,911	8,038	-26.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	34,491	36,234	- 4.8
To Major Employers	11,448	12,413	- 7.8
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,559	753	+107.0
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	25,969	28,610	- 9.2

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	July 1975	July 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	15,311	36,571	-58.1
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	220,539	243,485	- 9.4
Disadvantaged	105,413	98,914	+ 6.6
Black	59,637	65,599	- 9.1
Handicapped	15,866	22,298	-28.9
Veteran	41,129	41,471	- 0.8
Handicapped Veteran	5,222	6,353	-17.8
Vietnam Era	23,074	22,782	+ 1.3
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	1,682	6,038	-72.1
Disadvantaged	861	3,041	-71.7
Black	338	1,556	-78.3
Handicapped	419	1,694	-75.3
Veteran	407	1,598	-74.5
<u>Persons Tested</u>	549	2,697	-79.7
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	18,802	32,730	-42.6
Nonagricultural	18,618	32,374	-42.5
Agricultural	184	356	-48.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	18,797	29,063	-35.3
Nonagricultural	18,698	28,297	-33.9
Agricultural	99	766	-87.1
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	13,409	17,290	-22.5
Nonagricultural	13,161	17,126	-23.2
Disadvantaged	6,650	4,590	+44.9
Black	3,608	3,140	+14.9
Handicapped	458	1,078	-57.5
Veteran	1,211	2,423	-50.0
Handicapped Veteran	152	323	-53.0
Vietnam Era	812	1,658	-51.0
Short Time	1,087	1,615	-32.7
Disadvantaged	142	173	-17.9
Black	171	328	-47.9
Agricultural	248	174	+42.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	14,180	18,521	-23.4
Nonagricultural	13,864	18,320	-24.3
Agricultural	316	201	+57.2
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	1,604	6,999	-77.1
Disadvantaged	547	2,029	-73.1
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	2,870	7,405	-61.3
To Major Employers	1,052	2,342	-55.1
Agricultural Employer Visits	340	179	+89.9
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	3,258	6,775	-51.9

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	August 1975	August 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	49,505	70,223	-29.5
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	261,384	280,072	-6.7
Disadvantaged	117,003	105,051	+11.4
Black	65,611	71,268	-7.9
Handicapped	18,781	25,251	-25.6
Veteran	48,797	48,425	+0.8
Handicapped Veteran	6,153	7,268	-15.3
Vietnam Era	27,749	26,991	+2.8
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	5,591	10,838	-48.4
Disadvantaged	2,955	5,395	-45.2
Black	1,271	2,743	-53.7
Handicapped	1,377	3,034	-54.6
Veteran	1,315	2,999	-56.2
<u>Persons Tested</u>	1,869	5,473	-65.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	44,301	54,722	-19.0
Nonagricultural	43,732	53,747	-18.6
Agricultural	569	975	-41.6
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	24,235	24,280	-0.2
Nonagricultural	24,016	23,499	+2.2
Agricultural	219	781	-72.0
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	29,924	33,314	-10.2
Nonagricultural	29,413	32,787	-10.3
Disadvantaged	13,855	8,685	+59.5
Black	8,140	6,792	+19.8
Handicapped	1,103	2,156	-48.8
Veteran	3,070	5,031	-39.0
Handicapped Veteran	368	671	-45.2
Vietnam Era	2,101	3,444	-39.0
Short Time	1,639	2,453	-33.2
Disadvantaged	256	268	-4.5
Black	367	541	-32.2
Agricultural	518	559	-7.3
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	32,257	37,606	-14.2
Nonagricultural	31,553	36,631	-13.9
Agricultural	704	975	-27.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	5,218	12,850	-59.4
Disadvantaged	1,819	3,651	-50.2
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	10,029	14,608	-31.3
To Major Employers	3,369	4,587	-26.6
Agricultural Employer Visits	773	322	+140.1
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	8,653	12,130	-28.7

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	September 1975	September 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	84,033	102,611	-18.1
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	300,396	317,465	- 5.4
Disadvantaged	127,035	112,683	+12.7
Black	72,126	77,406	- 6.8
Handicapped	21,562	28,434	-24.2
Veteran	55,952	55,261	+ 1.3
Handicapped Veteran	7,010	8,254	-15.1
Vietnam Era	32,188	31,113	+ 3.5
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	9,489	15,209	-37.6
Disadvantaged	4,941	7,543	-34.5
Black	2,239	3,800	-41.1
Handicapped	2,314	4,233	-45.3
Veteran	2,338	4,198	-44.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	3,702	7,741	-52.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	62,883	76,705	-18.0
Nonagricultural	61,589	74,902	-17.8
Agricultural	1,294	1,803	-28.2
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	26,851	19,659	+36.6
Nonagricultural	26,556	18,937	+40.2
Agricultural	295	722	-59.2
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	41,807	47,794	-12.5
Nonagricultural	40,831	46,910	-13.0
Disadvantaged	17,030	11,559	+47.3
Black	10,175	9,404	+ 8.2
Handicapped	1,770	3,332	-46.9
Veteran	4,872	7,395	-35.9
Handicapped Veteran	594	1,046	-43.2
Vietnam Era	3,371	5,269	-36.0
Short Time	2,227	3,146	-29.2
Disadvantaged	378	369	+ 2.4
Black	526	727	-27.7
Agricultural	1,020	958	+ 6.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	47,110	55,260	-14.8
Nonagricultural	45,455	53,478	-15.0
Agricultural	1,655	1,782	- 7.1
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	9,339	18,773	-50.3
Disadvantaged	3,241	5,294	-38.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	17,534	21,482	-18.4
To Major Employers	5,858	7,204	-18.7
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,017	570	+78.4
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	14,434	17,167	-15.9

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	October 1975	October 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	118,779	136,552	-13.0
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	337,669	354,657	- 4.8
Disadvantaged	137,580	120,052	+14.6
Black	78,418	83,268	- 5.8
Handicapped	24,256	31,585	-23.2
Veteran	63,104	62,388	+ 1.1
Handicapped Veteran	7,877	9,305	-15.4
Vietnam Era	36,473	35,358	+ 3.2
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	13,564	19,943	-32.0
Disadvantaged	7,200	9,827	-26.7
Black	3,108	4,903	-36.6
Handicapped	3,266	5,583	-41.5
Veteran	3,512	5,480	-35.9
<u>Persons Tested</u>	5,532	10,501	-47.3
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	82,071	98,803	-16.9
Nonagricultural	80,449	96,301	-16.5
Agricultural	1,622	2,502	-35.2
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	28,215	16,733	+68.6
Nonagricultural	27,977	16,397	+70.6
Agricultural	238	336	-29.2
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	52,201	60,324	-13.5
Nonagricultural	51,145	59,260	-13.7
Disadvantaged	19,212	13,837	+38.8
Black	11,781	11,652	+ 1.1
Handicapped	2,406	4,328	-44.4
Veteran	6,764	9,963	-32.1
Handicapped Veteran	826	1,390	-40.6
Vietnam Era	4,702	6,924	-32.1
Short Time	2,740	3,698	-25.9
Disadvantaged	484	466	+ 3.9
Black	640	869	-26.4
Agricultural	1,135	1,188	- 4.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	60,771	72,200	-15.8
Nonagricultural	58,813	69,551	-15.4
Agricultural	1,958	2,649	-26.1
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	13,320	25,118	-47.0
Disadvantaged	4,595	7,052	-34.9
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	26,985	29,782	- 9.4
To Major Employers	8,862	10,140	-12.6
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,436	704	+104.0
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	20,690	23,314	-11.3

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES 1/

Activity	November 1975	October 1975	November 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$118,726,469	\$74,669,704	\$50,983,892	654,836,485**	\$422,864,109	+54.9
Contributions	38,133,469	15,642,351	41,930,633	397,769,200	380,649,946	+ 4.5
Interest	0	0	9,002,962	17,814,926	32,320,448	-44.9
Other	80,593,000	59,027,353	50,297	239,252,302**	9,893,805	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$58,711,224	\$68,686,595	\$36,187,567	\$927,073,350	\$415,748,710	+123.0
Net Amount	58,634,441	68,756,780	36,091,759	925,697,734	414,540,106	+123.3
Total Unemployment	55,550,298	64,508,550	33,459,500	875,060,797	386,329,080	+126.5
Partial Unemployment	3,160,926	4,178,045	2,728,067	52,012,553	29,419,630	+76.8
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$13,276,078	\$17,540,336	\$-3,032	\$108,133,900	\$17,648,212	+512.7
Federal Supplementary Benefits	17,673,369	16,279,939	--	96,292,803	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <u>2/</u>	2,183,894	3,163,828	--	37,412,985	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$45,452,908 <sup>3/</sup>	\$16,310,327 <sup>4/</sup>	\$576,930,173	\$45,452,908 <sup>3/</sup>	\$576,930,173	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	33,974	38,507	39,751	608,216	426,502	+56.7
EB	18,429	23,552	14	191,442	38,131	+402.1
FSB	18,291	19,004	--	107,352	--	*
SUA	1,111	2,069	--	60,285	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	733,031	871,574	542,932	12,240,643	6,277,997	+95.0
EB	163,583	218,625	65	1,437,270	261,638	+449.3
FSB	231,993	220,730	--	1,323,179	--	*
SUA	38,466	58,181	--	794,305	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	729,507	867,312	539,880	12,182,476	6,233,724	+95.4
Partial Unemployment	649,364	763,258	458,760	10,818,542	5,356,268	+102.0
Average Weekly Number	80,143	104,054	81,120	1,363,934	877,456	+55.4
	182,377	188,546	128,543	255,934	130,413	+96.2
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$80.48	\$79.19	\$67.03	\$76.10	\$66.69	+14.1
Partial Unemployment	85.55	84.52	72.93	80.89	72.13	+12.1
	39.44	40.15	33.63	38.13	33.53	+13.7
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	18,488	22,104	7,494	183,034	71,883	+154.6
EB	18,252	22,521	5	118,296	19,625	+502.8
FSB	3,481	4,585	--	18,533	--	*
SUA	288	526	--	1,036	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	122,951	121,571	133,286	1,631,838	1,094,257	+49.1
Additional	52,860	51,266	66,751	792,406	554,014	+43.0
	70,091	70,305	66,535	839,432	540,243	+55.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	50,847	51,068	63,919	803,282	565,777	+42.0
Ineligible	41,546	40,756	55,295	677,618	481,438	+40.7
	9,301	10,312	8,624	125,664	84,339	+49.0
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	821,833	942,983	639,325	13,234,339	6,919,473	+91.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	37,380	43,955	24,817	469,731	243,040	+93.3
Continued Claims	3,720	4,455	4,377	48,956	33,232	+47.3
	33,660	39,500	20,440	420,775	209,808	+100.6
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	42,658	43,882	22,273	447,294	218,474	+104.7
Continued Claims	5,203	5,222	4,430	55,426	35,904	+54.4
	37,455	38,660	17,843	391,868	182,570	+114.6
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,673	3,709	1,922	29,218	19,105	+52.9
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	32	49	25	430	333	+29.1
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	192,326	192,443	NA	192,443	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

\*\* Adjusted.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-NOVEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	24,725	194,801	12.7
Apparel Mfg.	14,686	136,378	10.8
Leather Products	2,045	20,147	10.2
Coal Mining	2,809	35,242	8.0
Transp. Equip.	5,439	70,143	7.8
Furniture & Fixtures	1,726	23,184	7.4
Textile Products	3,944	53,321	7.4
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,045	14,912	7.0
Fabricated Metal Prod.	7,523	111,106	6.8
Misc. Manufacturing	1,875	27,882	6.7
Primary Metals	14,985	228,984	6.5
Rubber & Plastics	2,291	36,137	6.3

\* Most recent 12-month average.

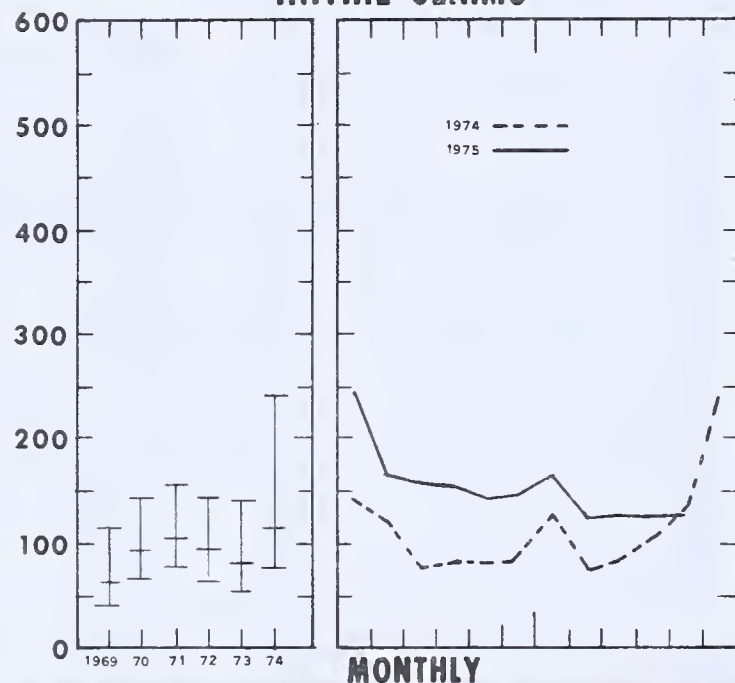
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	November 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,631,980	\$29,971,218
Gross Amount	2,647,460	30,063,714
Total Unemployment	2,587,100	29,351,626
Benefit Payments-Total No.	36,612	431,619
Weeks Compensated	36,254	428,347
Total Unemployment	34,856	411,900
Average Payment	\$73.03	\$70.19
First Payments	1,462	18,308
Final Payments	564	6,775
Initial Claims	1,959	25,221
Continued Claims	33,209	364,328
Benefit Appeals Received	78	833

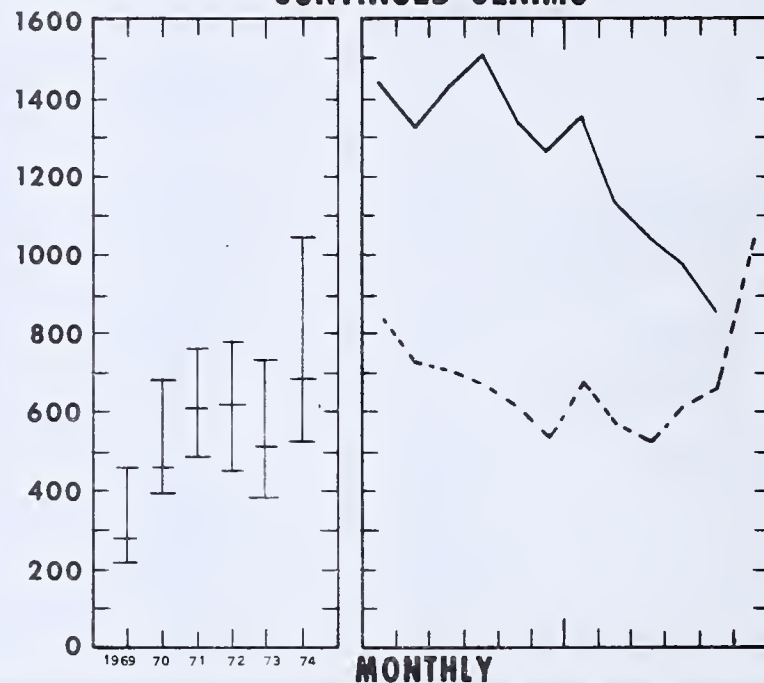
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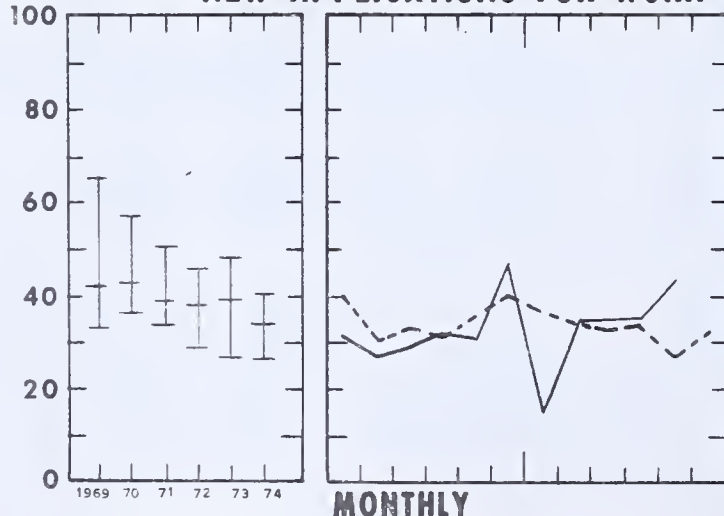
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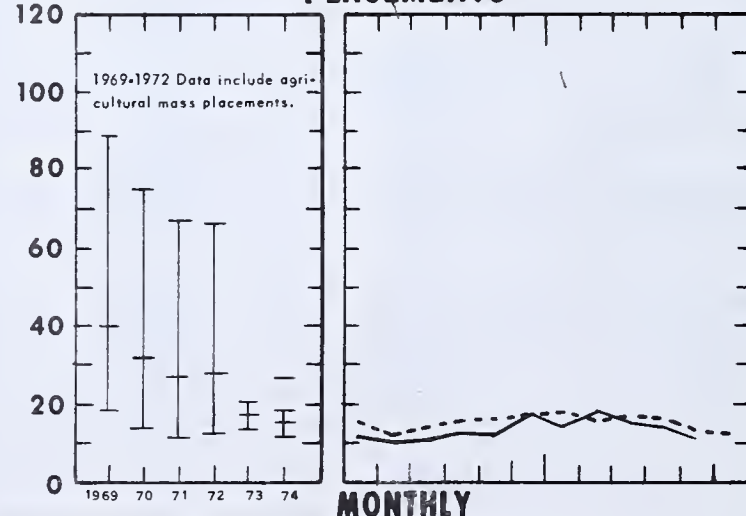
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HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

DECEMBER 1975

THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1975  
As of December 31, 1975

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,470,150,955	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,426,095
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,428,932	Job Placements Made .....	14,639,230 <sup>b/</sup>
Other Receipts .....	\$492,322,001 <sup>a/</sup>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,379,925
Total Receipts .....	\$7,461,901,888 <sup>a/</sup>	Wage Records Received .....	496,089,845
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,294,904,471	No. UC Payments Made* .....	216,126,851
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,721,980
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$216,917,410	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,231,951
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$97,186,001		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

Labor Force Statistics-November 12, 1975

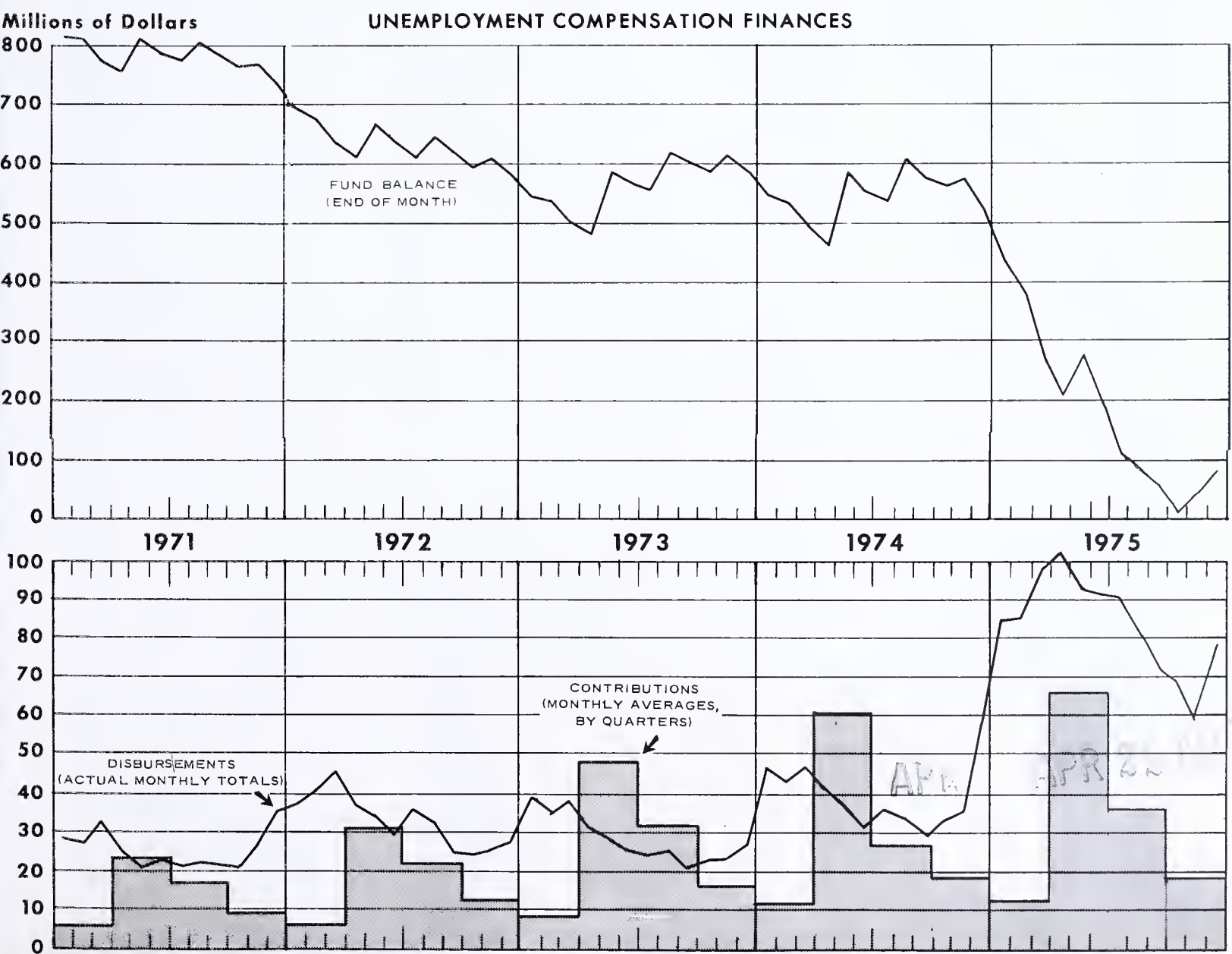
Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,133,700
Total Employment .....	4,685,700
Nonfarm wage and salary .....	4,430,900
Total Unemployment .....	448,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.7

Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$813.9 million (last 12 mos.) <sup>a/</sup>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,248.6 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$86.0 million (as of 12/31/75) <sup>a/</sup>
Contribution Rate .....	2.70% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.77% (last 12 mos.)

<sup>a/</sup> Includes federal loans of \$173,838,184.  
<sup>b/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.  
<sup>c/</sup> 12-month period July 1974 - June 1975.

Employment .....	3,805,045 (12 mo. avg.) <sup>c/</sup>
Employers .....	192,353 (as of 11/30/75)
Total Wages .....	\$36.9 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	December 1975	December 1974	
<u>New Applicants</u>	208,624	194,819	+ 7.1
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	429,320	414,472	+ 3.6
Disadvantaged	163,728	134,127	+ 22.1
Black	93,138	92,873	+ 0.3
Handicapped	30,935	35,892	- 13.8
Veteran	81,735	74,165	+ 10.2
Handicapped Veteran	10,072	10,724	- 6.1
Vietnam Era	46,817	42,202	+ 10.9
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	21,268	26,749	- 20.5
Disadvantaged	11,324	13,362	- 15.3
Black	4,528	6,264	- 27.7
Handicapped	4,971	7,455	- 33.3
Veteran	5,880	7,419	- 20.7
<u>Persons Tested</u>	8,758	13,939	- 37.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	110,915	130,159	- 14.8
Nonagricultural	108,920	127,437	- 14.5
Agricultural	1,995	2,722	- 26.7
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	19,467	7,814	+149.1
Nonagricultural	19,345	7,777	+148.7
Agricultural	122	37	+229.7
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	70,710	79,586	- 11.2
Nonagricultural	69,480	78,441	- 11.4
Disadvantaged	23,584	16,931	+ 39.3
Black	15,010	15,428	- 2.7
Handicapped	3,484	5,576	- 37.5
Veteran	9,795	13,215	- 25.9
Handicapped Veteran	1,236	1,863	- 33.7
Vietnam Era	6,899	9,234	- 25.3
Short-Time - Total	3,609	4,470	- 19.3
Disadvantaged	716	601	+ 19.1
Black	878	1,084	- 19.0
Agricultural	1,360	1,324	+ 2.7
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	85,285	98,304	- 13.2
Nonagricultural	82,847	95,357	- 13.1
Agricultural	2,438	2,947	- 17.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	20,625	31,626	- 34.8
Disadvantaged	7,330	9,008	- 18.6
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	42,050	41,242	+ 2.0
To Major Employers	13,729	14,019	- 2.1
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,643	771	+113.1
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	32,794	33,770	- 2.9

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	December 1975	November 1975	December 1974	Year to Date		% Change
				1975	1974	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$159,039,695	\$118,726,469	\$1,441,616	\$813,876,180	\$424,305,815	+ 91.8
Contributions	2,777,719	38,133,469	1,429,626	400,546,977	382,079,572	+ 4.8
Interest -	1,664,145	0	0	19,479,071	32,320,448	- 39.7
Other	154,597,831	80,593,000	11,990	393,850,132	9,905,795	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$78,711,914	\$58,711,224	\$57,747,861	\$1,005,785,264	\$473,496,571	+112.4
Net Amount	78,055,862	58,634,441	57,643,510	1,003,753,596	472,183,616	+112.6
Total Unemployment	73,815,351	55,550,298	53,333,347	984,876,148	439,662,427	+124.0
Partial Unemployment	4,896,563	3,160,926	4,414,514	56,909,116	33,834,144	+ 68.2
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$14,950,839	\$13,276,078	\$-169	\$123,084,739	\$17,648,043	+597.4
Federal Supplementary Benefits	25,451,911	17,673,369	--	121,744,714	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,866,706	2,183,894	--	40,279,691	--	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-87,804,192 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-18,387,445 <sup>4/</sup>	\$520,728,449	\$-87,804,192 <sup>3/</sup>	\$520,728,449	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	53,687	33,974	71,924	721,903	498,426	+ 44.8
EB	20,066	18,429	10	211,508	38,141	+454.5
FSB	19,721	18,291	--	127,073	--	*
SUA	1,992	1,111	--	62,277	--	*
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	987,574	733,031	846,439	13,228,217	7,124,436	+ 85.7
EB	183,598	163,583	43	1,620,867	261,681	+519.4
FSB	325,542	231,993	--	1,648,721	--	*
SUA	51,435	38,466	--	845,740	--	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	982,574	729,507	842,168	13,165,050	7,075,892	+ 86.1
Partial Unemployment	865,311	649,364	718,682	11,683,853	6,074,950	+ 92.3
Average Weekly Number	117,263	80,143	123,486	1,481,197	1,000,942	+ 48.0
	213,603	182,377	191,402	252,204	135,553	+ 86.1
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$80.11	\$80.48	\$68.57	\$76.40	\$66.92	+ 14.2
Partial Unemployment	85.30	85.55	74.21	81.21	72.37	+ 12.2
	41.76	39.44	35.75	38.42	33.80	+ 13.7
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	19,205	18,488	8,216	202,239	80,099	+152.5
EB	18,580	18,252	2	136,876	19,627	+597.4
FSB	4,411	3,481	--	22,944	--	*
SUA	310	288	--	1,346	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	225,305	122,951	235,113	1,857,143	1,329,370	+ 39.7
Additional	111,941	52,860	120,466	904,347	674,480	+ 34.1
	113,364	70,091	114,647	952,796	654,890	+ 45.5
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	97,848	50,847	110,389	901,130	676,166	+ 33.3
Ineligible	84,309	41,546	98,443	761,927	579,881	+ 31.4
	13,539	9,301	11,946	139,203	96,285	+ 44.6
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	1,176,126	855,493	1,014,033	14,521,354	7,933,506	+ 83.0
Applications	48,142	37,380	37,493	517,873	280,533	+ 84.6
Continued Claims	5,130	3,720	5,626	54,086	38,858	+ 39.2
	43,012	33,660	31,867	463,787	241,675	+ 91.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	50,553	42,658	28,405	497,847	246,879	+101.7
Continued Claims	5,495	5,203	5,395	60,921	41,299	+ 47.5
	45,058	37,455	23,010	436,926	205,580	+112.5
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	3,188	2,673	1,780	32,406	20,885	+ 55.2
	53	32	26	483	359	+ 34.5
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	192,353	193,631	NA	193,631	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-DECEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Tobacco Manufactures	1,067	6,013	17.7
Construction	34,201	194,801	17.6
Apparel Mfg.	19,560	136,378	14.3
Coal Mining	3,874	35,242	11.0
Leather Products	2,073	20,147	10.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,498	14,912	10.0
Textile Products	5,306	53,321	10.0
Transp. Equip.	6,418	70,143	9.1
Misc. Manufacturing	2,495	27,882	8.9
Amusement & Rec.	2,545	29,842	8.5
Furniture & Fixtures	1,931	23,184	8.3
Fabricated Metal Prod.	8,931	111,106	8.0

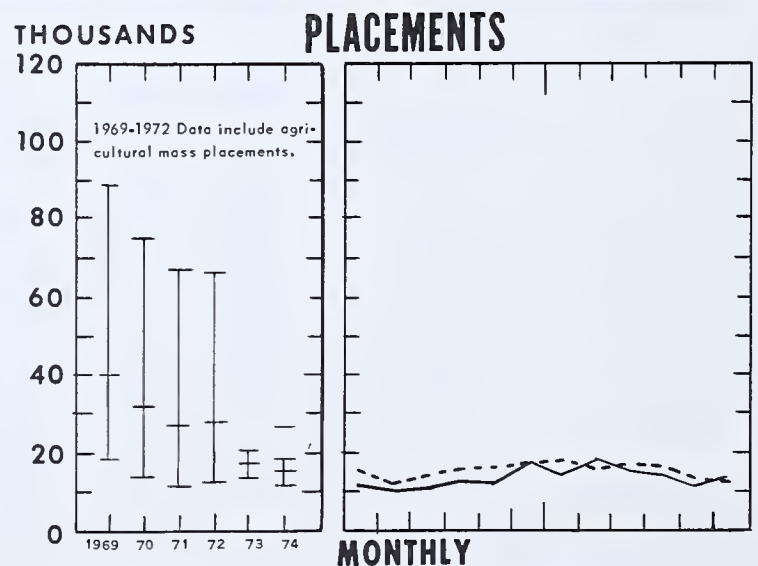
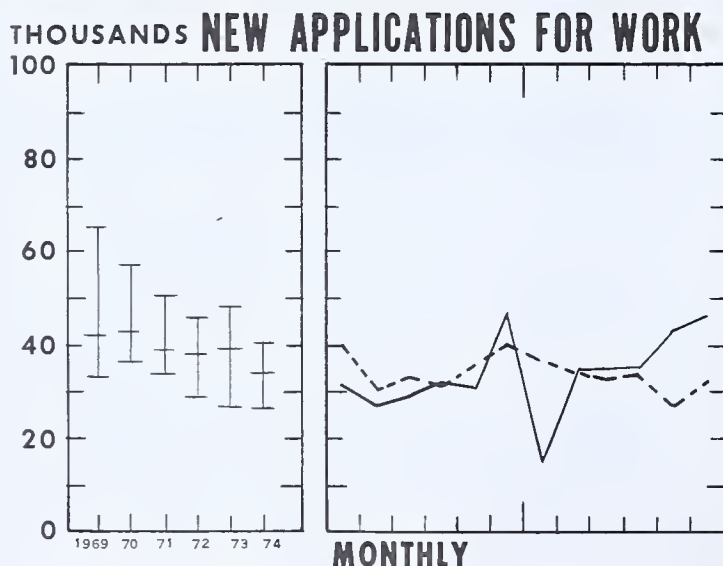
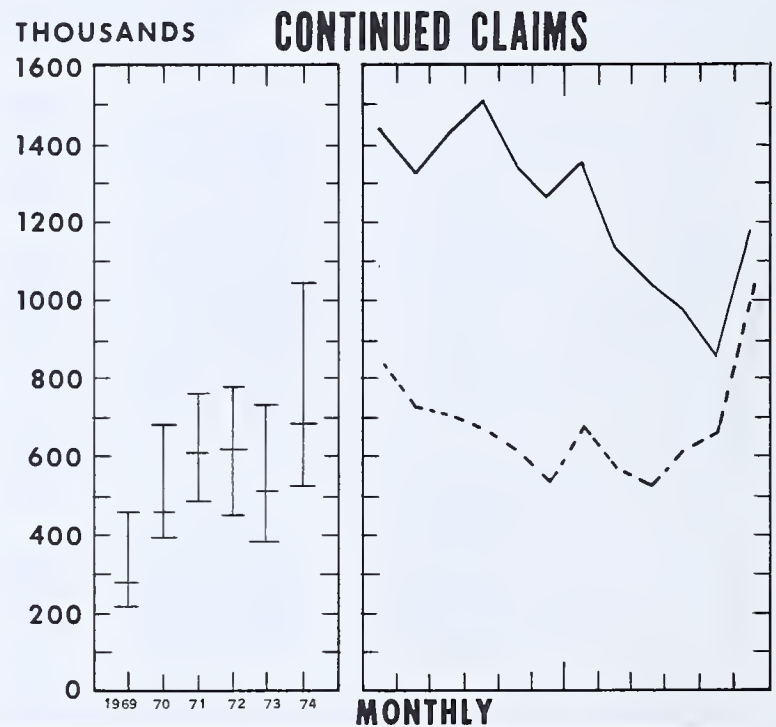
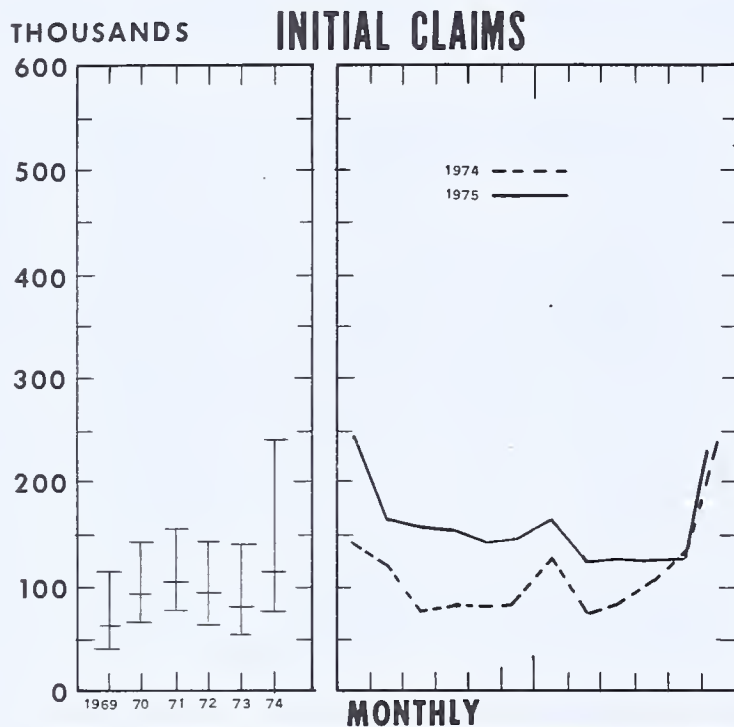
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	December 1975	1975 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,364,721	\$33,335,938
Gross Amount	3,387,387	33,451,101
Total Unemployment	3,311,795	32,663,421
Benefit Payments-Total No.	46,262	477,881
Weeks Compensated	45,927	474,274
Total Unemployment	44,259	456,159
Average Payment	\$73.76	\$70.53
First Payments	1,735	20,043
Final Payments	656	7,431
Initial Claims	2,362	27,583
Continued Claims	40,510	404,838
Benefit Appeals Received	83	916

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## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

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Employer Contributions .....	\$6,478,395,354
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,428,932
Other Receipts .....	\$581,039,367 <sup>a/</sup>
Total Receipts .....	\$7,558,863,653 <sup>a/</sup>
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,425,667,865
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$220,141,909
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$98,668,022

Applications for Work Taken .....	20,480,695
Job Placements Made .....	14,649,445 <sup>b/</sup>
Employer Reports Received .....	28,438,708
Wage Records Received .....	496,815,387
No. UC Payments Made* .....	217,767,954
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,764,367
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,254,882

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-December 12, 1975

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,112,600
Total Employment .....	4,664,600
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,429,400
Total Unemployment .....	448,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.8

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$904.0 million (last 12 mos.) <sup>a/</sup>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,291.5 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$52.2 million (as of 1/31/76) <sup>a/</sup>
Contribution Rate .....	2.71% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.82% (last 12 mos.)

### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,805,045 (12 mo. avg.) <sup>c/</sup>
Employers .....	193,356 (as of 12/31/75)
Total Wages .....	\$36.9 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <sup>c/</sup>

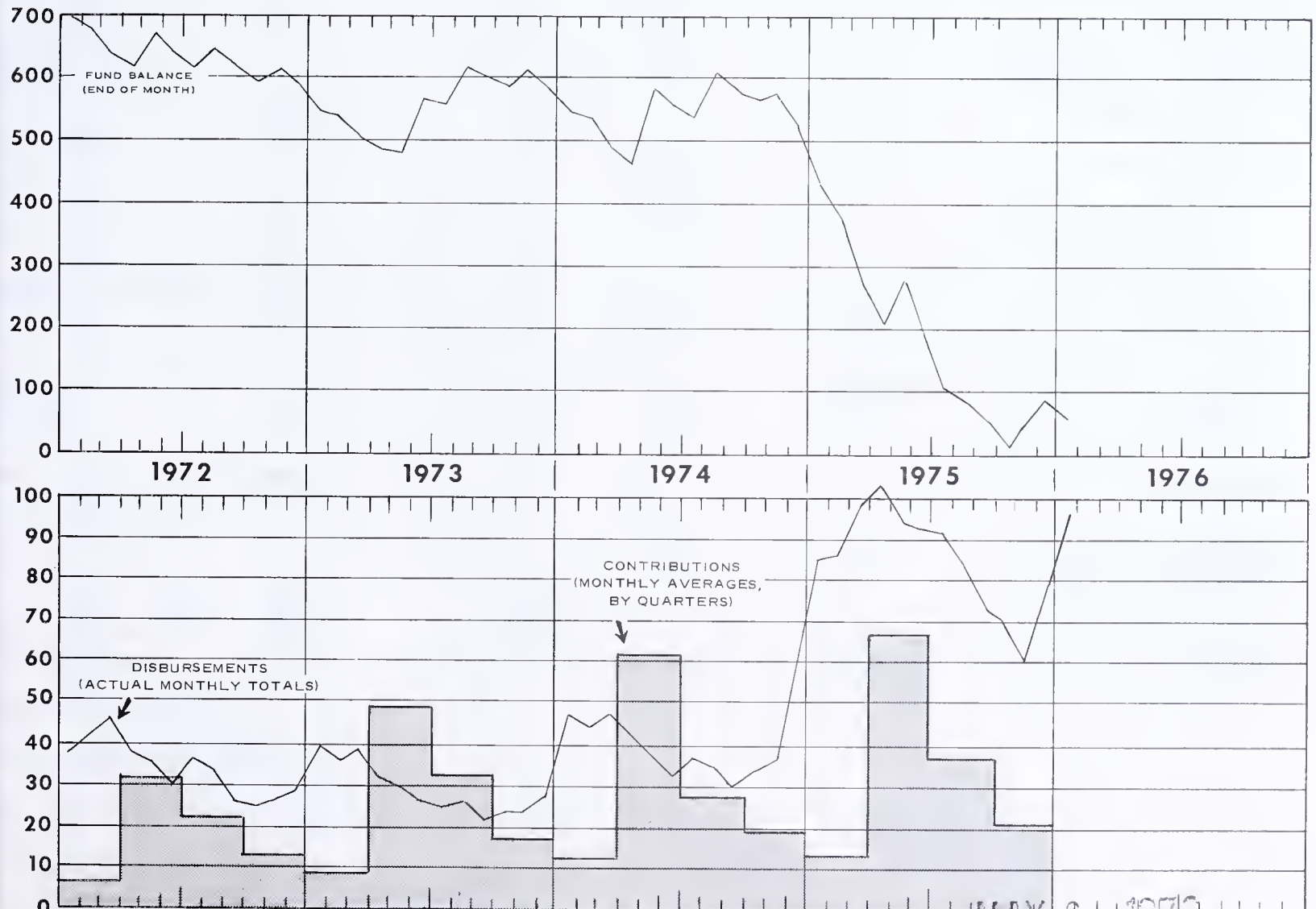
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<sup>c/</sup> 12-month period July 1974 - June 1975.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	January 1976	January 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	257,773	226,686	+13.7
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	478,508	446,715	+ 7.1
Disadvantaged	176,903	142,257	+24.4
Black	101,394	96,916	+ 4.6
Handicapped	34,566	38,404	-10.0
Veteran	91,964	81,440	+12.9
Handicapped Veteran	11,289	11,522	- 2.0
Vietnam Era	52,330	46,314	+13.0
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	25,409	30,218	-15.9
Disadvantaged	13,579	15,358	-11.6
Black	5,331	7,033	-24.2
Handicapped	5,912	8,400	-29.6
Veteran	7,346	8,354	-12.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	10,629	15,328	-30.7
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	128,586	147,215	-12.7
Nonagricultural	126,422	144,430	-12.5
Agricultural	2,164	2,785	-22.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	17,671	9,005	+96.2
Nonagricultural	17,460	8,978	+94.5
Agricultural	211	27	+681.5
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	80,924	87,036	- 7.0
Nonagricultural	79,666	85,866	- 7.2
Disadvantaged	25,724	18,242	+41.0
Black	16,656	16,343	+ 1.9
Handicapped	4,045	6,091	-33.6
Veteran	11,331	14,690	-22.9
Handicapped Veteran	1,435	2,042	-29.7
Vietnam Era	7,936	10,182	-22.1
Short-Time - Total	4,849	5,975	-18.8
Disadvantaged	878	750	+17.1
Black	1,020	1,188	-14.1
Agricultural	1,402	1,361	+ 3.0
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	98,742	109,437	- 9.8
Nonagricultural	96,258	106,439	- 9.6
Agricultural	2,484	2,998	-17.1
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	24,539	34,528	-28.9
Disadvantaged	8,821	10,152	-13.1
<u>Employer Services</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	50,221	47,092	+ 6.6
To Major Employers	16,084	16,168	- 0.5
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,731	786	+120.2
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	40,159	38,919	+ 3.2

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	January 1976	December 1975	January 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$96,961,765	\$159,039,695	\$6,825,514	\$96,961,765	\$6,825,514	*
Contributions	8,244,399	2,777,719	6,825,514	8,244,399	6,825,514	+20.8
Interest	0	\$1,664,145	0	0	0	*
Other	88,717,366	154,597,831	0	88,717,366	0	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$92,362,569	\$78,711,914	\$84,431,953	\$92,362,569	\$84,431,953	+ 9.4
Net Amount	92,158,316	78,055,862	84,330,619	92,158,316	84,330,619	+ 9.3
Total Unemployment	84,309,521	73,815,351	77,329,803	84,309,521	77,329,803	+ 9.0
Partial Unemployment	8,053,048	4,896,563	7,102,150	8,053,048	7,102,150	+13.4
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$12,753,515	\$14,950,839	\$3,552,760	\$12,753,515	\$3,552,760	+259.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	25,851,563	25,451,911	--	25,851,563	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,965,805	2,866,706	100,809	2,965,805	100,809	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-182,023,187 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-87,804,192 <sup>4/</sup>	\$439,670,584	\$-182,023,187 <sup>3/</sup>	\$439,670,584	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	98,822	53,687	127,683	98,822	127,683	-22.6
EB	17,870	20,066	18,076	17,870	18,076	- 1.1
FSB	16,259	19,721	--	16,259	--	*
SUA	2,581	1,992	737	2,581	737	+250.2
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,160,393	987,574	1,210,120	1,160,393	1,210,120	- 4.1
EB	156,098	183,598	48,155	156,098	48,155	+224.2
FSB	325,841	325,542	--	325,841	--	*
SUA	49,179	51,435	1,629	49,179	1,629	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$1,153,334	\$982,574	\$1,204,260	\$1,153,334	\$1,204,260	- 4.2
Partial Unemployment	981,930	865,311	1,029,813	981,930	1,029,813	- 4.7
Average Weekly Number	171,404	117,263	174,447	171,404	174,447	- 1.7
	262,121	213,603	261,796	262,121	261,796	+ 0.1
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$80.08	\$80.11	\$70.11	\$80.08	\$70.11	+14.2
Partial Unemployment	85.86	85.30	75.09	85.86	75.09	+14.3
	46.98	41.76	40.71	46.98	40.71	+15.4
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	18,246	19,205	9,230	18,246	9,230	+97.7
EB	17,093	18,580	2	17,093	2	*
FSB	5,207	4,411	--	5,207	--	*
SUA	274	310	--	274	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	199,799	225,305	241,006	199,799	241,006	-17.1
Additional	125,669	111,941	156,829	125,669	156,829	-19.9
	74,130	113,364	84,177	74,130	84,177	-11.9
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	135,927	97,848	163,422	135,927	163,422	-16.8
Ineligible	112,027	84,309	138,727	112,027	138,727	-19.2
	23,900	13,539	24,695	23,900	24,695	- 3.2
<b>Compensable Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	1,251,959	1,176,126	1,404,476	1,291,248	1,404,476	- 8.1
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	43,511	48,142	44,814	43,511	44,814	- 2.9
Continued Claims	4,222	5,130	6,289	4,222	6,289	-32.9
	39,289	43,012	38,525	39,289	38,525	+ 2.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	55,970	50,553	37,142	55,970	37,142	+50.7
Continued Claims	6,501	5,495	6,929	6,501	6,929	- 6.2
	49,469	45,058	30,213	49,469	30,213	+63.7
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,654	3,188	2,069	2,654	2,069	+28.3
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	53	53	28	53	28	+89.3
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	193,356	192,920	NA	192,920	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JANUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	49,493	194,801	25.4
Tobacco Manufactures	1,510	6,013	25.1
Apparel Mfg.	27,621	136,378	20.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,574	14,912	17.3
Leather Products	2,932	20,147	14.6
Textile Products	7,701	53,321	14.4
Coal Mining	4,226	35,242	12.0
Transp. Equip.	7,522	70,143	10.7
Furniture & Fixtures	2,345	23,184	10.1
Amusement & Rec.	2,955	29,842	9.9
Misc. Manufacturing	2,701	27,882	9.7
Stone, Clay & Glass	6,176	64,281	9.6

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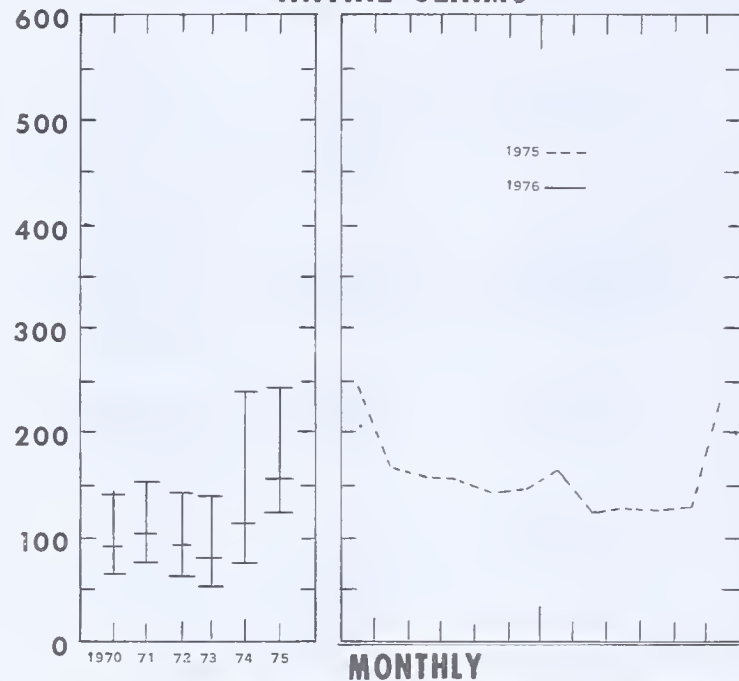
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Activity*	January 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,348,003	\$3,348,003
Gross Amount	3,372,940	3,372,940
Total Unemployment	3,296,971	3,296,971
Benefit Payments-Total No.	45,736	45,736
Weeks Compensated	45,300	45,300
Total Unemployment	43,654	43,654
Average Payment	\$74.46	\$74.46
First Payments	1,720	1,720
Final Payments	676	676
Initial Claims	2,565	2,565
Continued Claims	39,159	39,159
Benefit Appeals Received	79	79

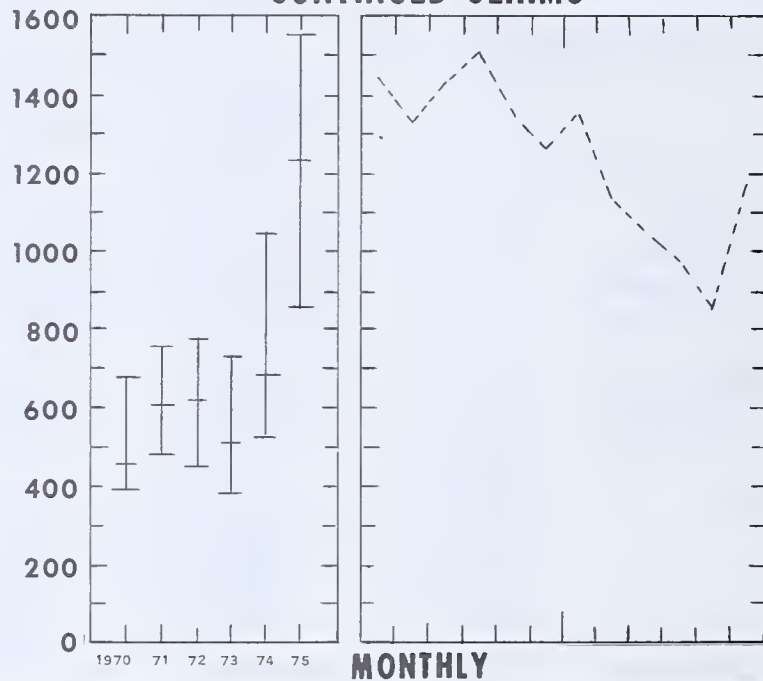
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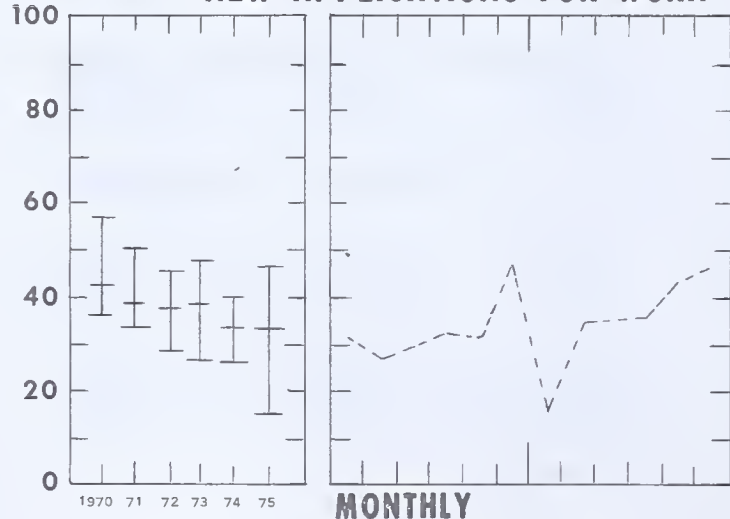
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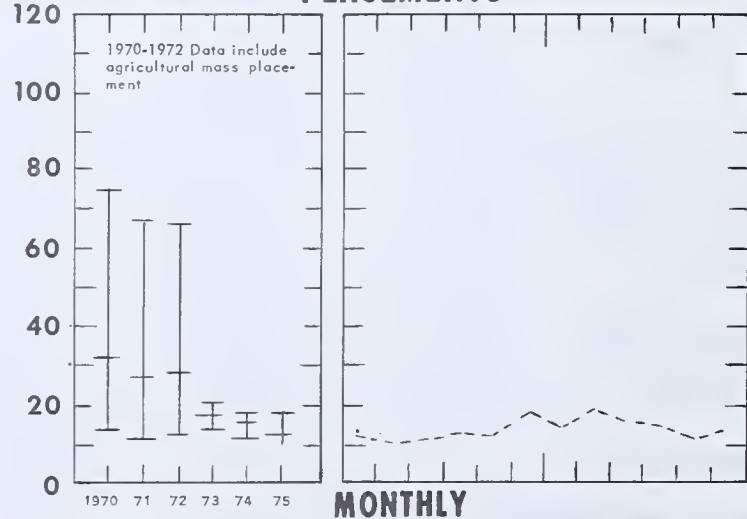
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HARRISBURG, PA

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FEBRUARY 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of February 29, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,506,373,065	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,523,852
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,428,932	Job Placements Made .....	14,657,224 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$672,483,777 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,563,961
Total Receipts .....	\$7,678,285,774 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	498,725,613
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,548,294,247	No. UC Payments Made* .....	219,262,062
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,804,273
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$223,186,880	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,276,059
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$100,074,919		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-January 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,073,000
Total Employment .....	4,557,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,326,700
Total Unemployment .....	516,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	10.2

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$990.1 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,320.1 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$49.0 million (as of 2/29/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.75% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.94% (last 12 mos.)

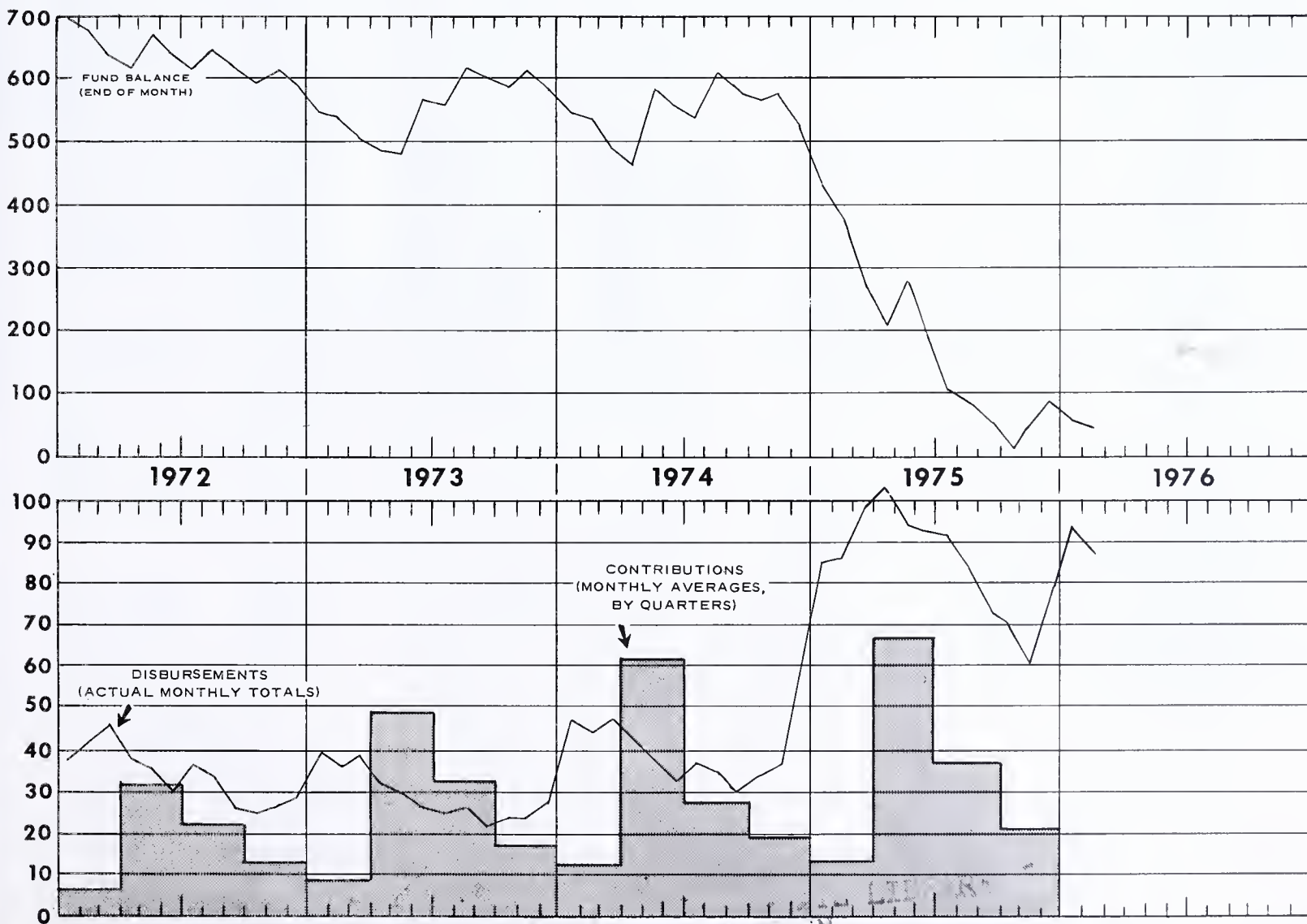
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,765,348 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	190,779 (as of 1/31/76)
Total Wages .....	\$37.1 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.6 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$287,999,960.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ 12-month period October 1974 - September 1975.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	February 1976	February 1975	
New Applicants	296,835	254,028	+16.9
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	517,429	474,191	+ 9.1
Disadvantaged	187,685	149,205	+25.8
Black	107,354	100,472	+ 6.8
Handicapped	37,609	40,608	- 7.4
Veteran	100,191	88,108	+13.7
Handicapped Veteran	12,328	12,280	+ 0.4
Vietnam Era	56,804	49,986	+13.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	28,911	33,756	-14.4
Disadvantaged	15,399	17,265	-10.8
Black	5,973	7,751	-22.9
Handicapped	6,668	9,277	-28.1
Veteran	8,519	9,402	- 9.4
<u>Persons Tested</u>	12,669	17,116	-26.0
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	141,348	161,086	-12.3
Nonagricultural	139,196	158,213	-12.0
Agricultural	2,152	2,873	-25.1
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	15,552	9,800	+58.7
Nonagricultural	15,438	9,751	+58.3
Agricultural	114	49	+132.7
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	88,702	93,674	- 5.3
Nonagricultural	87,419	92,477	- 5.5
Disadvantaged	27,530	19,722	+39.6
Black	17,756	17,412	+ 2.0
Handicapped	4,530	6,604	-31.4
Veteran	12,728	16,227	-21.6
Handicapped Veteran	1,619	2,246	-27.9
Vietnam Era	8,866	11,265	-21.3
Short Time - Total	5,903	6,438	- 8.3
Disadvantaged	1,048	838	+25.1
Black	1,211	1,257	- 3.7
Agricultural	1,449	1,406	+ 3.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	109,180	119,478	- 8.6
Nonagricultural	106,647	116,434	- 8.4
Agricultural	2,533	3,044	-16.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	27,844	37,486	-25.7
Disadvantaged	10,001	11,300	-11.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	58,263	53,885	+ 8.1
To Major Employers	18,687	18,483	+ 1.1
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,862	840	+121.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	46,939	45,356	+ 3.5

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	February 1976	January 1976	February 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$119,422,121	\$96,961,765	\$33,295,472	\$216,383,886	\$40,120,986	*
Contributions	27,977,711	8,244,399	28,924,634	36,222,110	35,750,148	+ 1.3
Interest	0	0	8,370,028	0	8,370,028	*
Other	91,444,410	88,717,366	-3,999,190	180,161,776	-3,999,190	*
<b>Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$87,467,480	\$92,362,569	\$86,128,430	\$179,830,049	\$170,560,383	+ 5.4
Net Amount	87,076,495	92,158,316	85,911,638	179,234,811	170,242,257	+ 5.3
Total Unemployment	82,504,223	84,309,521	81,124,184	166,813,744	158,453,987	+ 5.3
Partial Unemployment	4,963,257	8,053,048	5,004,246	13,016,305	12,106,396	+ 7.5
<b>Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,967,115	\$12,753,515	\$8,075,333	\$23,720,630	\$11,628,093	+104.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	24,582,772	25,851,563	--	50,434,335	--	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,876,553	2,965,805	624,918	5,842,358	725,727	*
<b>Balance - End of Month</b>	\$-238,971,858 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-182,023,187 <sup>4/</sup>	\$378,979,085	\$-238,971,858 <sup>3/</sup>	\$378,979,085	*
<b>Payments</b>						
UC	79,743	98,822	90,546	178,565	218,229	-18.2
EB	16,412	17,870	13,814	34,282	31,890	+ 7.5
FSB	12,977	16,259	--	29,236	--	*
SUA	3,339	2,581	2,982	5,920	3,719	+59.2
<b>Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,056,135	1,160,393	1,185,172	2,216,528	2,395,292	- 7.5
EB	132,631	156,098	113,193	288,729	161,348	+79.0
FSB	306,129	325,841	--	631,970	--	*
SUA	48,650	49,179	11,429	79,829	13,058	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,046,410	1,153,334	1,177,947	2,199,744	2,382,207	- 7.7
Partial Unemployment	931,735	981,930	1,041,272	1,913,665	2,071,085	- 7.6
Average Weekly Number	114,675	171,404	136,675	286,079	311,122	- 8.1
	261,603	262,121	294,487	261,874	277,001	- 5.5
<b>Rate Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$83.59	\$80.08	\$73.12	\$81.75	\$71.60	+14.2
Partial Unemployment	88.55	85.86	77.91	87.17	76.51	+13.9
	43.28	46.98	36.61	45.50	38.91	+16.9
<b>Payments</b>						
UC	15,147	18,246	8,823	33,393	18,053	+85.0
EB	12,739	17,093	4	29,832	6	*
FSB	5,655	5,207	--	10,862	--	*
SUA	224	274	--	498	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	125,184	199,799	160,567	324,983	401,573	-19.1
Additional	70,069	125,669	90,883	195,738	247,712	-21.0
	55,115	74,130	69,684	129,245	153,861	-16.0
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	72,606	135,927	93,250	208,533	256,672	-18.8
Eligible	59,018	112,027	79,762	171,045	218,489	-21.7
Eligible	13,588	23,900	13,488	37,488	38,183	- 1.8
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	1,078,657	1,251,959	1,292,919	2,330,616	2,697,395	-13.6
<b>State - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	39,609	43,511	40,994	83,120	85,808	- 3.1
Continued Claims	3,462	4,222	4,280	7,684	10,569	-27.3
	36,147	39,289	36,714	75,436	75,239	+ 0.3
<b>State - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	45,686	55,970	40,546	101,656	77,688	+30.9
Continued Claims	4,716	6,501	5,074	11,217	12,003	- 6.6
	40,970	49,469	35,472	90,439	65,685	+37.7
<b>Appeals Received</b>						
	2,911	2,654	2,384	5,565	4,453	+25.0
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	11	53	32	64	60	+ 6.7
<b>Per Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	190,779	192,365	NA	192,365	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-FEBRUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	59,356	188,688	31.5
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,910	15,803	18.4
Apparel Mfg.	18,477	132,912	13.9
Coal Mining	4,778	36,256	13.2
Textile Prod.	6,196	51,373	12.1
Amusement & Rec.	3,399	30,492	11.1
Transp. Equip.	7,514	68,120	11.0
Leather Products	2,138	19,743	10.8
Stone, Clay & Glass	5,919	62,526	9.5
Furniture & Fixtures	1,951	20,930	9.3
Fabricated Metal Prod.	10,116	110,543	9.2
Truck. & Warehousing	6,268	69,089	9.1

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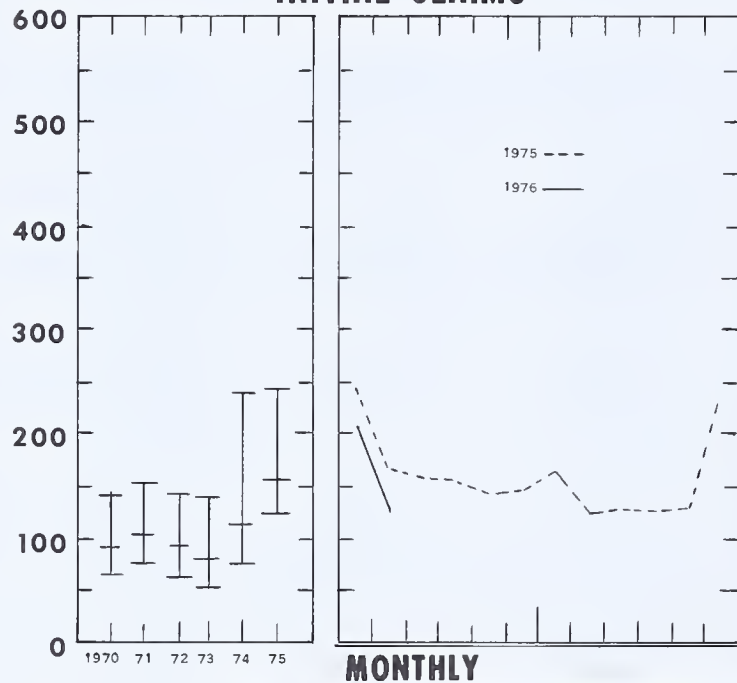
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Activity*	February 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,136,234	\$6,484,237
Gross Amount	3,142,334	6,515,274
Total Unemployment	3,063,004	6,359,975
Benefit Payments-Total No.	42,152	87,888
Weeks Compensated	41,657	86,957
Total Unemployment	39,927	83,581
Average Payment	\$75.43	\$74.93
First Payments	1,893	3,613
Final Payments	729	1,405
Initial Claims	1,969	4,534
Continued Claims	35,488	74,647
Benefit Appeals Received	77	156

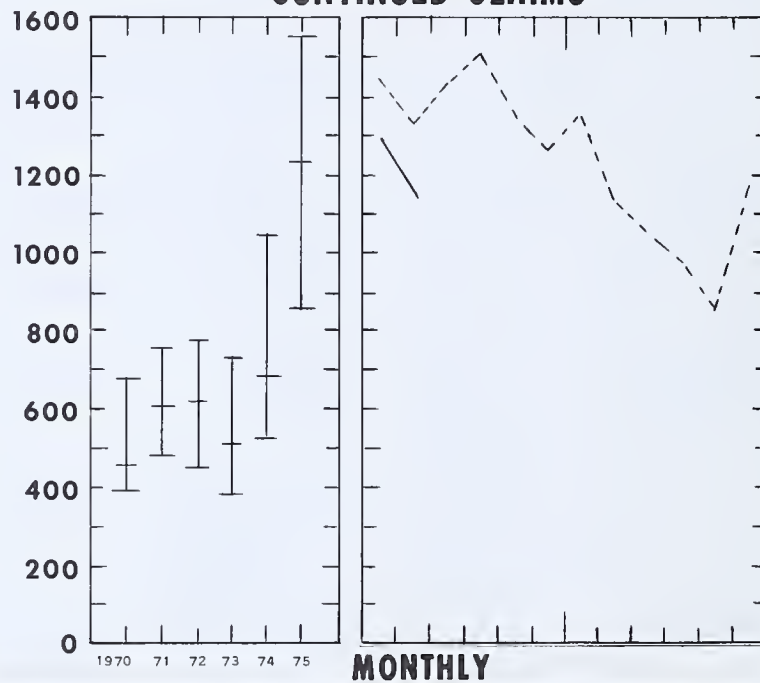
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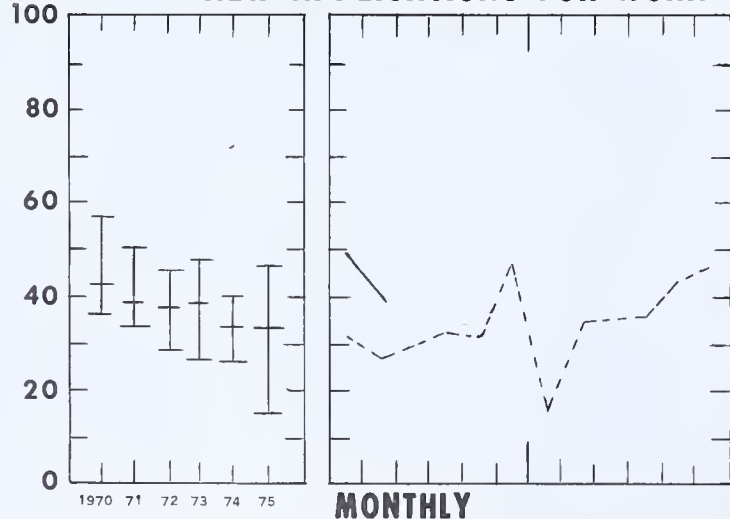
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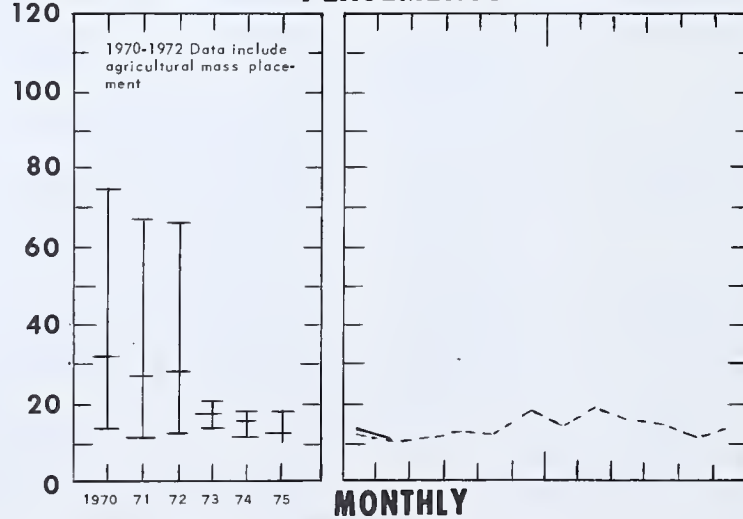
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MARCH 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of March 31, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,509,928,812	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,580,667
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,428,933	Job Placements Made .....	14,670,426 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$803,481,768 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,575,342
Total Receipts .....	\$7,812,839,513 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	500,248,378
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,676,417,468	No. UC Payments Made* .....	220,821,866
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,848,268
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$226,538,757	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,299,365
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$101,629,777		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-February 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,048,100
Total Employment .....	4,562,100
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,367,200
Total Unemployment .....	486,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.6

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,122.9 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,339.5 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$55.5 million (as of 3/31/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.75% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.88% (last 12 mos.)

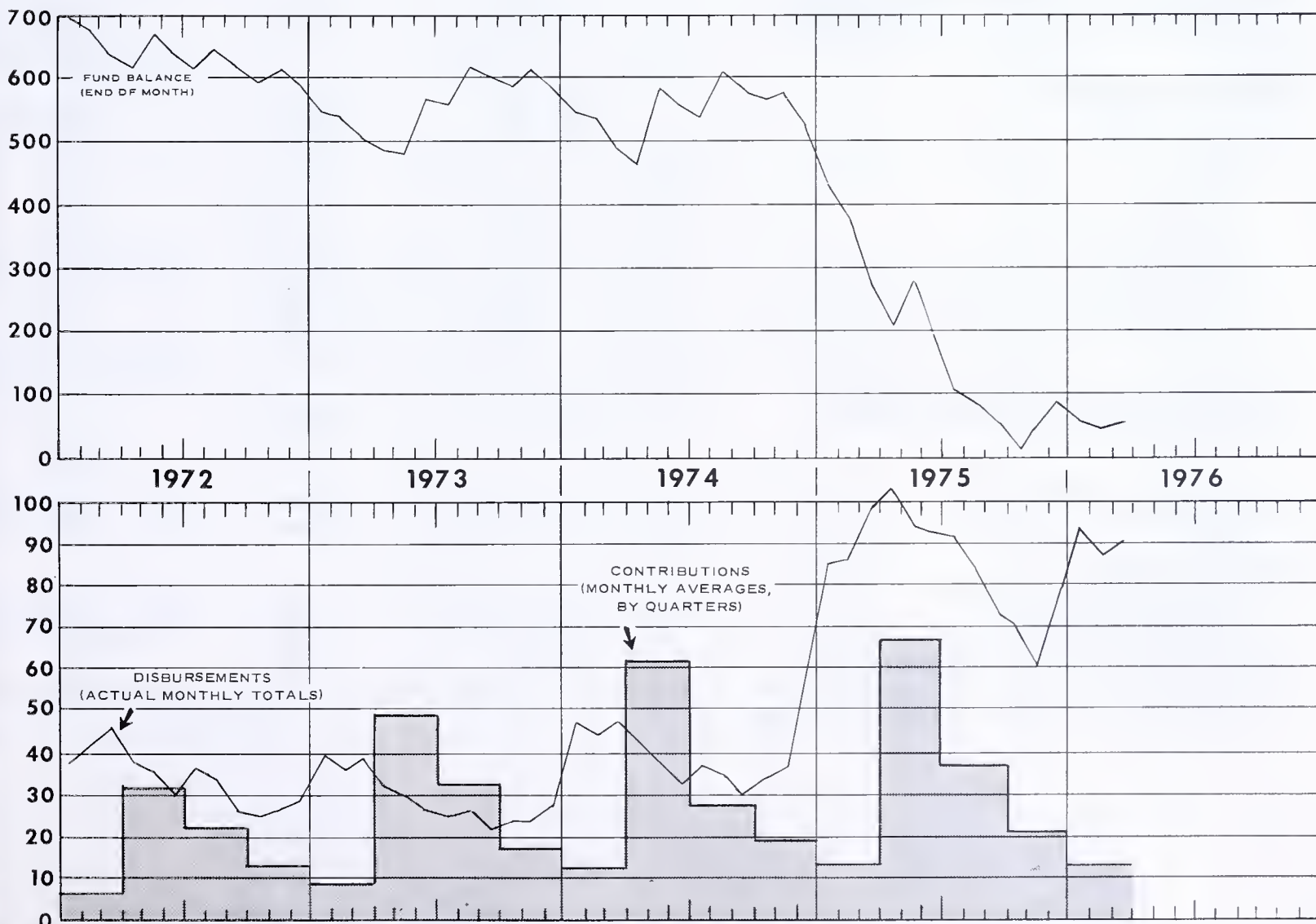
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,765,348 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	190,627 (as of 2/29/76)
Total Wages .....	\$37.1 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.6 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$383,397,952.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ 12-month period October 1974 - September 1975.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	March 1976	March 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	349,585	283,378	+23.4
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	569,632	503,414	+13.2
Disadvantaged	202,989	156,446	+29.8
Black	116,071	104,142	+11.5
Handicapped	42,002	42,973	- 2.3
Veteran	111,246	95,036	+17.1
Handicapped Veteran	13,716	13,050	+ 5.1
Vietnam Era	62,676	53,694	+16.7
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	33,845	37,574	- 9.9
Disadvantaged	17,936	19,280	- 7.0
Black	7,020	8,500	-17.4
Handicapped	7,767	10,256	-24.3
Veteran	10,138	10,450	- 3.0
<u>Persons Tested</u>	15,684	19,025	-17.6
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	165,026	175,473	- 6.0
Nonagricultural	162,538	172,466	- 5.8
Agricultural	2,488	3,007	-17.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	15,573	10,449	+49.0
Nonagricultural	15,374	10,356	+48.5
Agricultural	199	93	+114.0
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	101,584	100,561	+ 1.0
Nonagricultural	100,238	99,315	+ 0.9
Disadvantaged	30,803	21,193	+45.3
Black	19,493	18,458	+ 5.6
Handicapped	5,363	7,124	-24.7
Veteran	15,362	17,838	-13.9
Handicapped Veteran	1,938	2,456	-21.1
Vietnam Era	10,668	12,393	-13.9
Short Time - Total	7,303	6,764	+ 8.0
Disadvantaged	1,264	906	+39.5
Black	1,398	1,338	+ 4.5
Agricultural	1,554	1,474	+ 5.4
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	127,047	129,698	- 2.0
Nonagricultural	124,389	126,584	- 1.7
Agricultural	2,658	3,114	-14.6
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	32,646	40,903	-20.2
Disadvantaged	11,796	12,444	- 5.2
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	69,448	61,530	+12.9
To Major Employers	22,057	21,061	+ 4.7
Agricultural Employer Visits	2,156	972	+111.8
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	54,994	54,384	+ 1.1

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	March 1976	February 1976	March 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$134,553,739	\$119,422,121	\$1,790,315	\$350,937,625	\$41,911,301	*
Contributions	3,555,747	27,977,711	1,790,315	39,777,857	37,540,463	+ 6.0
Interest	0	0	0	0	8,370,028	*
Other	130,997,992	91,444,410	0	311,159,768	-3,999,190	*
<b>C Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$91,604,321	\$87,467,480	\$99,022,292	\$271,434,370	\$269,582,675	+ 0.7
Net Amount	90,663,330	87,076,495	99,015,872	269,898,141	269,258,129	+ 0.2
Total Unemployment	87,021,079	82,504,223	93,756,412	253,834,823	252,210,399	+ 0.6
Partial Unemployment	4,583,242	4,963,257	5,265,880	17,599,547	17,372,276	+ 1.3
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,999,113	\$10,967,115	\$7,581,759	\$34,719,743	\$19,209,852	+80.7
Federal Supplementary Benefits	26,460,778	24,582,772	2,069,055	76,895,113	2,669,055	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	3,079,397	2,876,553	1,011,964	8,921,755	1,737,691	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-327,939,332 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-238,971,858 <sup>4/</sup>	\$272,103,416	\$-327,939,332 <sup>3/</sup>	\$272,103,416	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	56,716	79,743	76,426	235,281	294,655	-20.2
EB	15,874	16,412	9,850	50,156	41,740	+20.2
FSB	13,091	12,977	13,265	42,327	13,265	*
SUA	2,693	3,339	4,218	8,613	7,937	+ 8.5
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,095,484	1,056,135	1,326,158	3,312,012	3,721,450	-11.0
EB	137,954	132,631	106,968	426,683	268,316	+59.0
FSB	328,719	306,129	28,952	960,689	28,952	*
SUA	51,412	48,650	19,148	131,241	32,206	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,086,322	1,046,410	1,318,399	3,286,066	3,700,606	-11.2
Partial Unemployment	977,955	931,735	1,173,318	2,891,620	3,244,403	-10.9
Average Weekly Number	108,367	114,675	145,081	394,446	456,203	-13.5
	236,157	261,603	313,905	252,774	289,110	-12.6
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$84.33	\$83.59	\$75.11	\$82.60	\$72.85	+13.4
Partial Unemployment	88.98	88.55	79.91	87.78	77.84	+12.8
	42.29	43.28	36.30	44.62	38.08	+17.2
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	14,854	15,147	8,787	48,247	26,840	+79.8
EB	13,261	12,739	17,550	43,093	17,556	+145.5
FSB	6,869	5,655	--	17,731	--	*
SUA	802	224	--	1,300	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	124,912	125,184	150,738	449,895	552,311	-18.5
Additional	60,887	70,069	75,343	256,625	323,055	-20.6
	64,025	55,115	75,395	193,270	229,256	-15.7
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	58,140	72,606	75,988	266,673	332,660	-19.9
Ineligible	46,972	59,018	65,424	218,017	283,913	-23.2
	11,168	13,588	10,564	48,656	48,747	- 0.2
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	1,199,075	1,078,657	1,395,394	3,529,691	4,092,789	-13.8
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	42,009	39,609	44,642	125,129	130,450	- 4.1
Continued Claims	3,781	3,462	3,951	11,465	14,520	-21.0
	38,228	36,147	40,691	113,664	115,930	- 2.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	54,306	45,686	40,436	155,962	118,124	+32.0
Continued Claims	5,256	4,716	4,657	16,473	16,660	- 1.1
	49,050	40,970	35,779	139,489	101,464	+37.5
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	3,392	2,911	2,645	8,957	7,098	+26.2
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	69	11	49	133	109	+22.0
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	190,627	193,468	NA	193,468	--

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**RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MARCH**

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	51,245	188,688	27.2
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,323	15,803	14.7
Coal Mining	4,430	36,256	12.2
Apparel Mftrg.	14,393	132,912	10.8
Transp. Equip.	7,295	68,120	10.7
Amusement & Rec.	3,140	30,492	10.3
Textile Products	5,200	51,373	10.1
Leather Products	1,865	19,743	9.4
Stone, Clay & Glass	5,572	62,526	8.9
Furniture & Fixtures	1,832	20,930	8.8
Fab. Metal Products	9,278	110,543	8.4
Trucking & Warehousing	5,620	69,089	8.1

\* Most recent 12-month average.

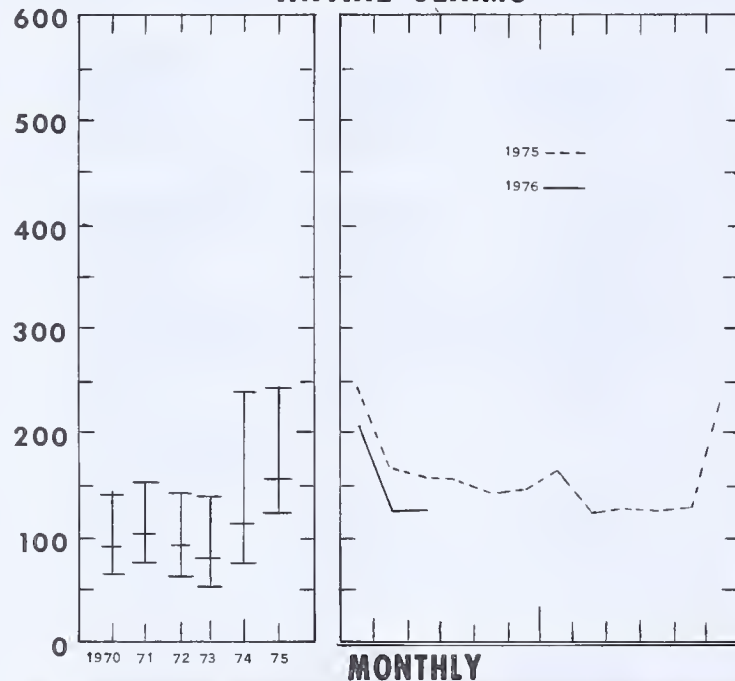
**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN**

Activity*	March 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,385,798	\$9,870,035
Gross Amount	3,425,189	9,940,463
Total Unemployment	3,321,216	9,681,191
Benefit Payments-Total No.	45,675	133,563
Weeks Compensated	44,836	131,793
Total Unemployment	42,701	126,282
Average Payment	\$76.39	\$75.42
First Payments	1,863	5,476
Final Payments	866	2,271
Initial Claims	2,389	6,923
Continued Claims	41,350	115,997
Benefit Appeals Received	87	243

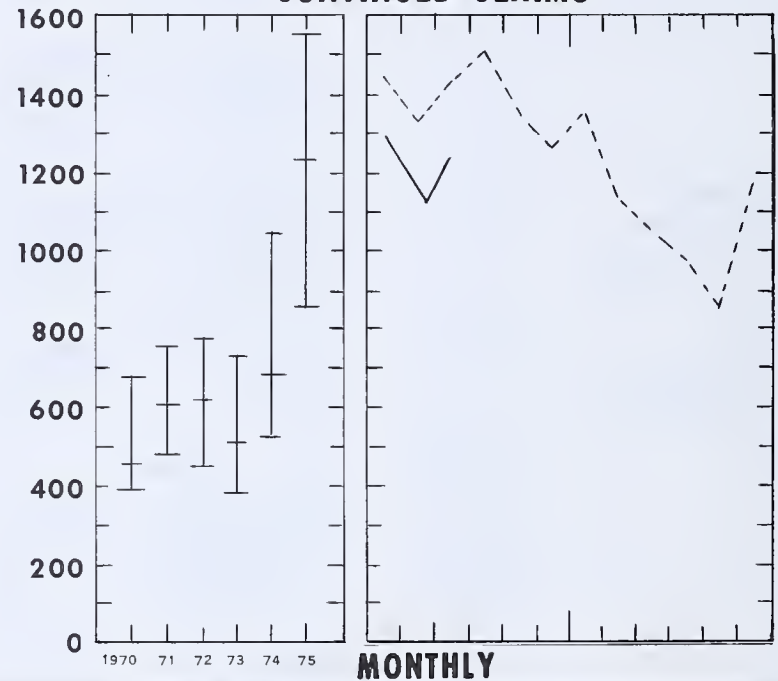
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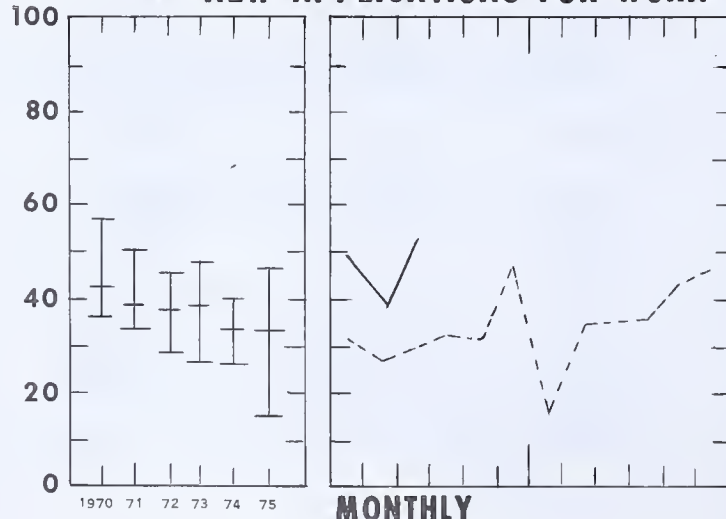
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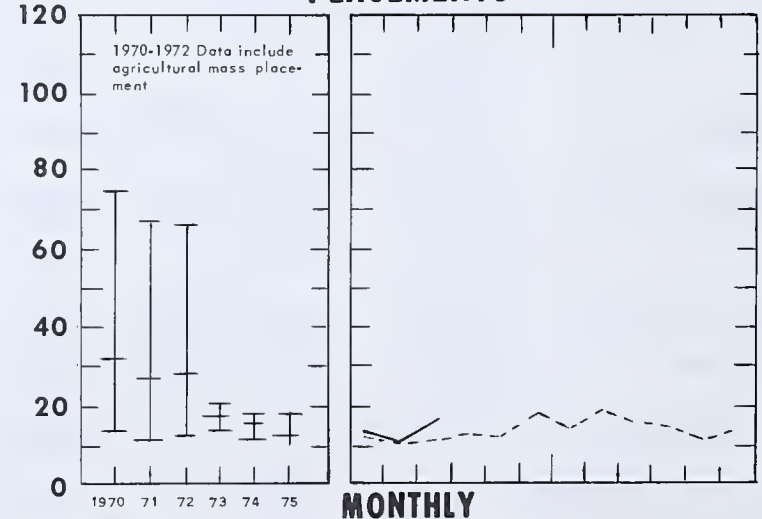
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**THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK**



**THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS**



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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

APRIL 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of April 30, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,537,944,815	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,627,171
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,679,655 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$877,218,641 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,626,882
Total Receipts .....	\$7,914,581,173 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	500,864,354
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,782,598,047	No. UC Payments Made* .....	222,108,394
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,887,070
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$229,531,675	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,321,381
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$103,091,793		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

### KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

#### Labor Force Statistics-March 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,043,100
Total Employment .....	4,597,100
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,393,200
Total Unemployment .....	446,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ..	8.8

#### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,173.8 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	1,331.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	51.0 million (as of 4/30/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.72% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.69% (last 12 mos.)

#### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,765,348 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	191,278 (as of 3/31/76)
Total Wages .....	37.1 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	14.6 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

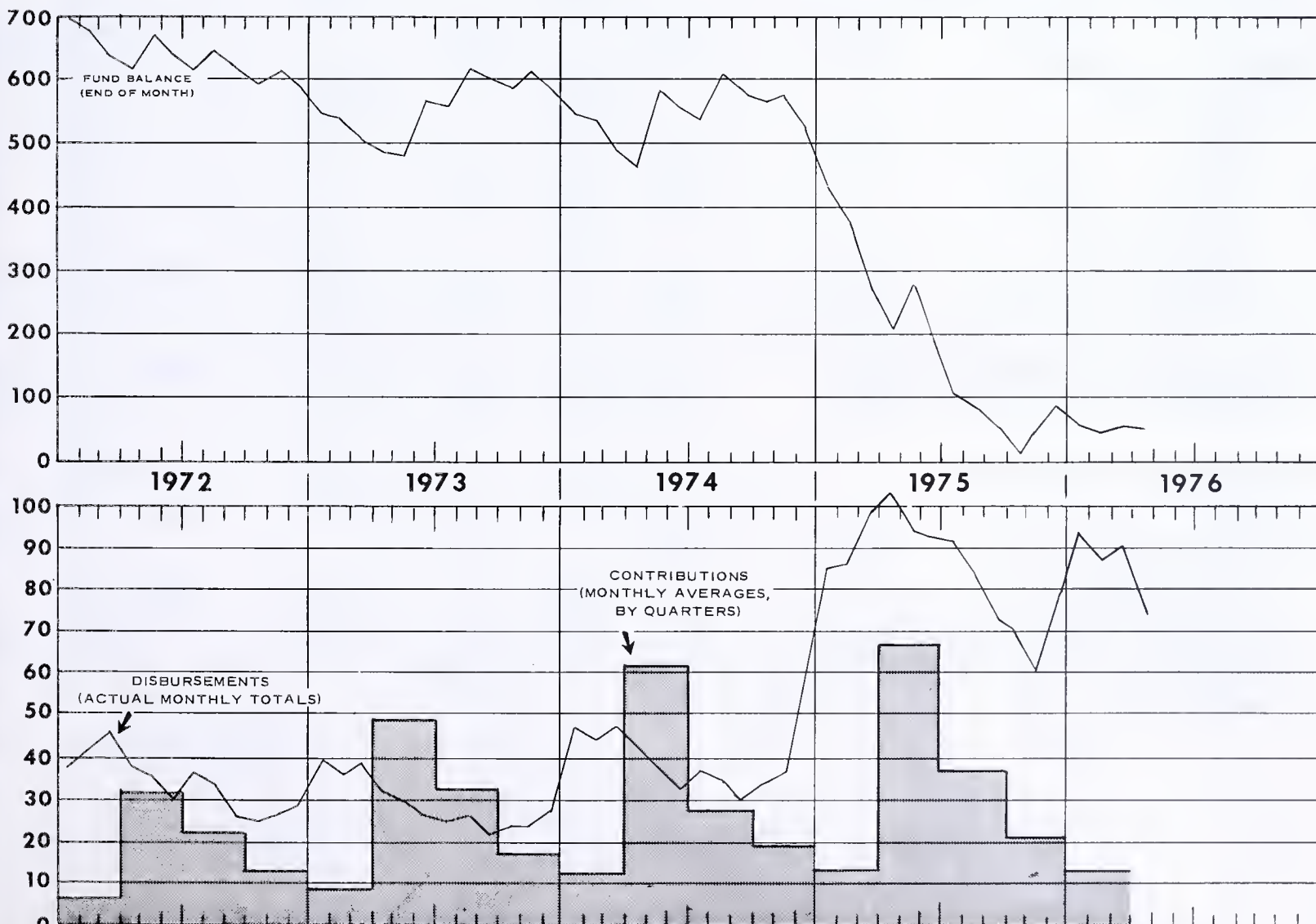
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### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	April 1976	April 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	393,810	315,047	+25.0
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	613,021	534,165	+14.8
Disadvantaged	214,558	163,868	+30.9
Black	123,667	108,342	+14.1
Handicapped	45,653	45,612	+ 0.1
Veteran	120,032	101,995	+17.7
Handicapped Veteran	14,885	13,912	+ 7.0
Vietnam Era	67,091	57,504	+16.7
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	37,676	41,807	- 9.9
Disadvantaged	19,933	21,357	- 6.7
Black	7,819	9,380	-16.6
Handicapped	8,617	11,306	-23.8
Veteran	11,381	11,605	- 1.9
<u>Persons Tested</u>	18,035	21,489	-16.1
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	184,730	192,946	- 4.3
Nonagricultural	182,041	189,699	- 4.0
Agricultural	2,689	3,247	-17.2
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	16,681	11,132	+49.8
Nonagricultural	16,507	10,990	+50.2
Agricultural	174	142	+22.5
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	111,088	108,968	+ 1.9
Nonagricultural	109,592	107,632	+ 1.8
Disadvantaged	33,061	23,253	+42.2
Black	20,664	19,802	+ 4.4
Handicapped	6,009	7,864	-23.6
Veteran	17,345	19,770	-12.3
Handicapped Veteran	2,200	2,754	-20.1
Vietnam Era	11,977	13,722	-12.7
Short Time - Total	8,919	7,165	+24.5
Disadvantaged	1,446	1,004	+44.0
Black	1,539	1,446	+ 6.4
Agricultural	1,749	1,612	+ 8.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	140,626	142,316	- 1.2
Nonagricultural	137,720	139,059	- 1.0
Agricultural	2,906	3,257	-10.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	36,607	44,810	-18.3
Disadvantaged	13,399	13,790	- 2.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	70,434	70,443	<sup>a/</sup>
To Major Employers	24,944	23,938	+ 4.2
Agricultural Employer Visits	2,598	1,267	+105.1
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	62,003	62,472	- 0.8

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

<sup>a/</sup> Less than 0.05%.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	April 1976	March 1976	April 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$101,741,660	\$134,553,739	\$50,803,441	\$452,679,285	\$92,714,742	*
Contributions	28,016,002	3,555,747	33,308,127	67,793,859	70,848,589	- 4.3
Interest	-11,215	--	--	-11,215	8,370,028	*
Other	73,736,873	130,997,992	17,495,314	384,896,641	13,496,125	*
<b>C Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$74,203,112	\$91,604,321	\$102,269,399	\$345,637,482	\$371,852,074	- 7.1
Net Amount	74,175,833	90,663,330	102,252,540	344,073,974	371,510,669	- 7.4
Total Unemployment	70,538,927	87,021,079	96,684,121	324,373,750	348,894,520	- 7.0
Partial Unemployment	3,664,185	4,583,242	5,585,278	21,263,732	22,957,554	- 7.4
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,253,655	\$10,999,113	\$6,006,259	\$43,973,398	\$25,216,111	+74.4
Federal Supplementary Benefits	22,751,091	26,460,778	6,184,950	99,646,204	8,254,005	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,557,235	3,079,397	1,512,556	11,478,990	3,250,247	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-378,715,124 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-327,939,332 <sup>4/</sup>	\$208,467,183	\$-378,715,124 <sup>3/</sup>	\$208,467,183	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	41,553	56,716	65,781	276,834	360,436	-23.2
EB	13,447	15,874	10,976	63,603	52,716	+20.7
FSB	11,630	13,091	9,522	53,957	22,787	*
SUA	2,006	2,693	7,963	10,619	15,900	-33.2
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	892,008	1,095,484	1,352,883	4,204,020	5,074,333	-17.2
EB	114,325	137,954	84,662	541,008	352,978	+53.3
FSB	282,057	328,719	86,588	1,242,746	115,540	*
SUA	40,629	51,412	32,628	188,920	64,834	*
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>	885,638	1,086,322	1,346,326	4,171,704	5,046,932	-17.4
Total Unemployment	798,767	977,955	1,195,583	3,690,387	4,439,986	-16.9
Partial Unemployment	86,871	108,367	150,743	481,317	606,946	-20.7
Average Weekly Number	201,281	236,157	305,983	239,753	293,426	-18.3
<b>Average Payment</b>	\$83.78	\$84.33	\$75.96	\$82.85	\$73.68	+12.4
Total Unemployment	88.31	88.98	80.87	87.90	78.58	+11.9
Partial Unemployment	42.18	42.29	37.05	44.18	37.82	+16.8
<b>Total Payments</b>						
UC	13,370	14,854	10,954	61,617	37,794	+63.0
EB	11,927	13,261	8,788	55,020	26,344	+108.9
FSB	10,687	6,869	--	28,418	--	*
SUA	713	802	--	2,013	--	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>	117,104	124,912	148,154	566,999	700,465	-19.1
New	61,606	60,887	72,669	318,231	395,724	-19.6
Additional	55,498	64,025	75,485	248,768	304,741	-18.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>	62,478	58,140	74,258	329,151	406,918	-19.1
Eligible	44,684	46,972	61,418	262,701	345,331	-23.9
Ineligible	17,794	11,168	12,840	66,450	61,587	+ 7.9
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>	956,094	1,199,075	1,459,619	4,485,785	5,552,408	-19.2
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>	35,988	42,009	45,061	161,117	175,511	- 8.2
Applications	3,205	3,781	3,876	14,670	18,396	-20.3
Continued Claims	32,783	38,228	41,185	146,447	157,115	- 6.8
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>	46,560	54,306	36,885	202,522	155,009	+30.7
Applications	4,364	5,256	4,444	20,837	21,104	- 1.3
Continued Claims	42,196	49,050	32,441	181,685	133,905	+35.7
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	3,186	3,392	2,616	12,143	9,714	+25.0
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	64	69	32	197	141	+39.7
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	191,278	192,436	NA	192,436	--

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Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$429,734,825.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-APRIL

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	38,742	188,688	20.5
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,689	15,803	10.7
Coal Mining	3,400	36,256	9.4
Apparel Manufacturing	12,383	132,912	9.3
Transp. Equipment	6,340	68,120	9.3
Leather Products	1,736	19,743	8.8
Textile Products	4,460	51,373	8.7
Furniture & Fixtures	1,629	20,930	7.8
Amusement & Rec.	2,318	30,492	7.6
Fabricated Metal Prod.	7,983	110,543	7.2
Food Products	6,788	99,503	6.8
Trucking & Warehousing	4,624	69,089	6.7

\* Most recent 12-month average.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

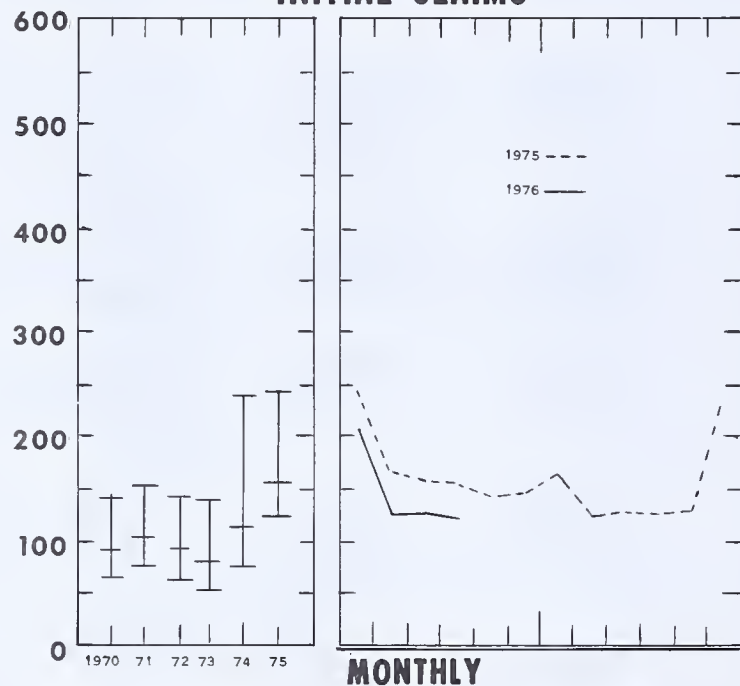
Activity *	April 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,984,303	\$12,854,338
Gross Amount	2,994,578	12,935,041
Total Unemployment	2,886,224	12,567,415
Benefit Payments-Total No.	39,913	173,476
Weeks Compensated	39,156	170,949
Total Unemployment	36,962	163,244
Average Payment	\$76.48	\$75.67
First Payments	1,605	7,081
Final Payments	815	3,086
Initial Claims	2,157	9,080
Continued Claims	34,549	150,546
Benefit Appeals Received	74	317

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## ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1970 TO DATE

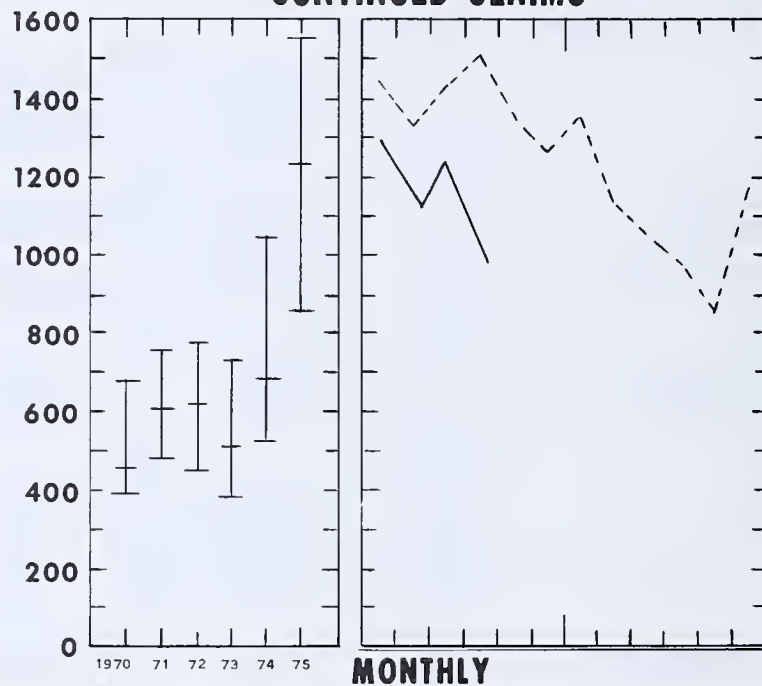
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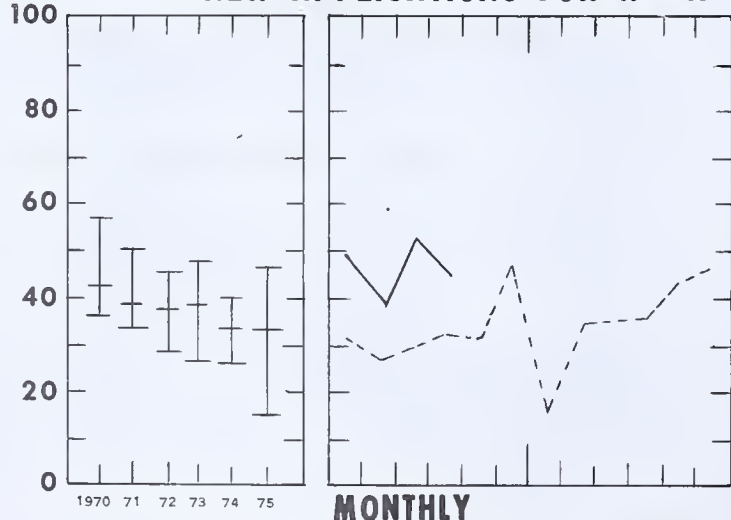


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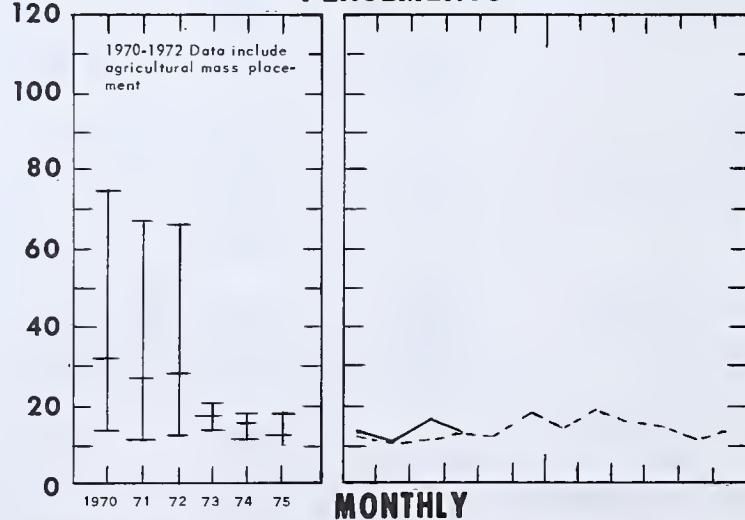


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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

MAY 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of May 31, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,722,232,872	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,678,744
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,689,671 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$907,218,641 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,758,893
Total Receipts .....	\$8,128,869,230 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	503,221,652
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$7,878,544,278	No. UC Payments Made* .....	223,210,325
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	4,924,430
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$232,451,570	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,342,377
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$104,480,505		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-April 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,040,200
Total Employment .....	4,646,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,431,100
Total Unemployment .....	394,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.8

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,211.0 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,321.0 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance, ....	\$169.4 million (as of 5/31/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.90% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.56% (last 12 mos.)

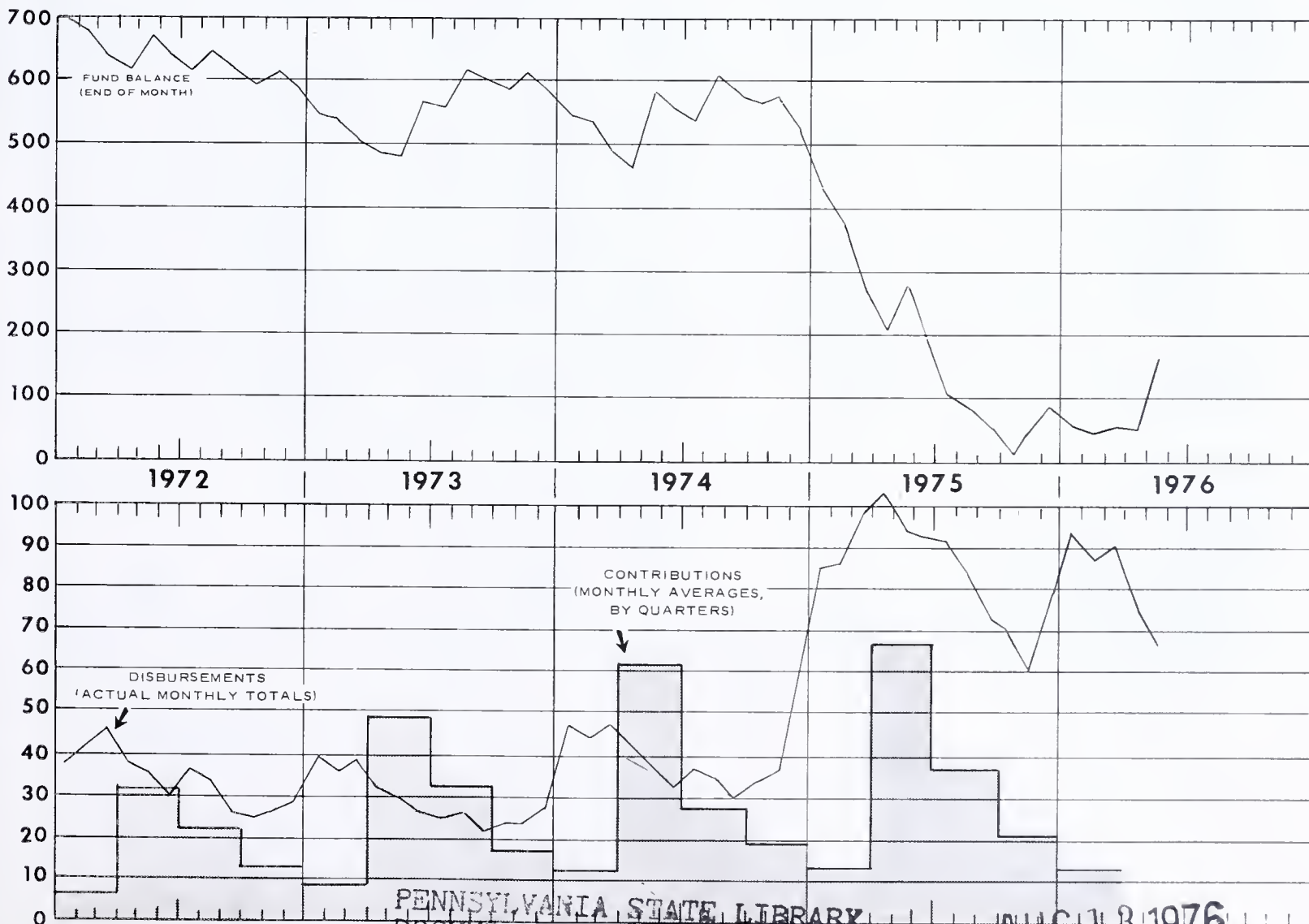
### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,739,092 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	190,249 (as of 4/30/76)
Total Wages .....	\$37.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$429,734,825.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	May 1976	May 1975	% Change
<u>New Applicants</u>	442,803	345,793	+28.1
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	660,967	563,785	+17.2
Disadvantaged	228,063	171,040	+33.3
Black	131,253	112,463	+16.7
Handicapped	49,260	47,987	+ 2.7
Veteran	129,006	108,093	+19.3
Handicapped Veteran	16,065	14,653	+ 9.6
Vietnam Era	71,652	60,960	+17.5
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	41,129	45,063	- 8.7
Disadvantaged	21,680	23,124	- 6.2
Black	8,540	10,201	-16.3
Handicapped	9,428	12,203	-22.7
Veteran	12,503	12,476	+ 0.2
<u>Persons Tested</u>	19,977	23,483	-14.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	206,012	211,417	- 2.6
Nonagricultural	203,147	207,996	- 2.3
Agricultural	2,865	3,421	-16.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	16,822	13,037	+29.0
Nonagricultural	16,689	12,914	+29.2
Agricultural	133	123	+ 8.1
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	121,076	116,998	+ 3.5
Nonagricultural	119,460	115,579	+ 3.4
Disadvantaged	35,613	25,197	+41.3
Black	22,069	21,111	+ 4.5
Handicapped	6,636	8,546	-22.4
Veteran	19,362	21,487	- 9.9
Handicapped Veteran	2,463	2,996	-17.8
Vietnam Era	13,362	14,927	-10.5
Short Time - Total	10,051	7,597	+32.3
Disadvantaged	1,602	1,100	+45.6
Black	1,648	1,543	+ 6.8
Agricultural	1,924	1,750	+ 9.9
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	155,668	154,758	+ 0.6
Nonagricultural	152,534	151,350	+ 0.8
Agricultural	3,134	3,408	- 8.0
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	41,046	48,162	-14.8
Disadvantaged	15,159	14,891	+ 1.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	88,592	78,495	+12.9
To Major Employers	27,617	26,490	+ 4.3
Agricultural Employer Visits	3,029	1,585	+91.1
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	70,387	70,169	+ 0.3

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	May 1976	April 1976	May 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$214,288,057	\$101,741,660	\$177,084,339	\$666,967,342	\$269,799,081	*
Contributions	184,288,057	28,016,002	161,117,768	252,081,916	231,966,357	+ 8.7
Interest	0	-11,215	5,835,562	-11,215	14,205,591	*
Other	30,000,000	73,736,873	10,131,009	414,896,641	23,627,133	*
<u>C Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$67,118,279	\$74,203,112	\$92,594,383	\$412,755,761	\$464,446,457	-11.3
Net Amount	67,003,431	74,175,833	92,358,175	411,077,405	463,868,844	-11.4
Total Unemployment	63,593,551	70,538,927	87,521,610	387,967,301	436,416,130	-11.1
Partial Unemployment	3,524,728	3,664,185	5,072,773	24,788,460	28,030,327	-11.6
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,848,889	\$9,253,655	\$6,226,924	\$52,822,287	\$31,443,035	+68.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	20,093,911	22,751,091	7,608,168	119,740,115	15,862,173	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,313,366	2,557,235	1,466,609	13,792,356	4,716,856	*
<u>Balance - End of Month</u>	\$-260,373,298 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-378,715,124 <sup>3/</sup>	\$279,365,890	\$-260,373,298 <sup>3/</sup>	\$279,365,890	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	39,674	41,553	53,446	316,508	413,882	-23.5
EB	13,898	13,447	12,889	77,501	65,605	+18.1
FSB	10,132	11,630	7,133	64,089	29,920	+114.2
SUA	1,359	2,006	7,714	11,978	23,614	-49.3
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	816,160	892,008	1,221,318	5,020,180	6,295,651	-20.3
EB	110,575	114,325	87,150	651,583	440,128	+48.0
FSB	250,213	282,057	106,983	1,492,959	222,523	*
SUA	36,151	40,629	31,282	225,071	96,116	+134.2
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	809,860	885,638	1,215,862	4,981,564	6,262,794	-20.5
Partial Unemployment	723,011	798,767	1,076,771	4,413,398	5,516,757	-20.0
Average Weekly Number	86,849	86,871	139,091	568,166	746,037	-23.9
	192,824	201,281	276,332	230,628	289,944	-20.5
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$82.88	\$83.78	\$76.16	\$82.86	\$74.16	+11.7
Partial Unemployment	87.96	88.31	81.28	87.91	79.11	+11.1
	40.58	42.18	36.47	43.63	37.57	+16.1
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	13,700	13,346	13,694	75,293	51,488	+46.2
EB	10,396	11,927	7,112	65,416	33,456	+95.5
FSB	9,530	10,687	--	37,948	--	*
SUA	479	713	--	2,492	--	*
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	101,927	117,104	139,339	668,926	839,804	-20.3
Additional	48,575	61,606	58,361	366,806	454,085	-19.2
	53,352	55,498	80,978	302,120	385,719	-21.7
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	50,470	62,478	59,770	379,621	466,688	-18.7
Ineligible	39,821	44,684	51,132	302,522	396,463	-23.7
	10,649	17,794	8,638	77,099	70,225	+ 9.8
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	830,664	956,094	1,300,695	5,316,449	6,853,103	-22.4
Applications	31,765	35,988	41,383	192,882	216,894	-11.1
Continued Claims	3,085	3,205	3,673	17,755	22,069	-19.5
	28,680	32,783	37,710	175,127	194,825	-10.1
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	38,962	46,560	38,832	241,484	193,841	+24.6
Continued Claims	3,947	4,364	4,418	24,784	25,522	- 2.9
	35,015	42,196	34,414	216,700	168,319	+28.7
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
	3,049	3,186	2,799	15,192	12,513	+21.4
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>						
	65	64	31	262	172	+52.3
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	190,249	192,213	NA	192,213	--

Percentage change not applicable.

Unless otherwise indicated, all data are for Regular UC only.

SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.

Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$429,734,825.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MAY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employment*	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	32,819	184,632	17.8
Apparel Mfg.	15,229	132,488	11.5
Textile Products	4,745	50,595	9.4
Leather Products	1,811	19,779	9.2
Furniture & Fixtures	1,652	18,593	8.9
Transp. Equip.	5,892	66,611	8.8
Coal Mining	2,839	37,763	7.5
Food Products	7,460	99,530	7.5
Wholesale Trade -Dur.	9,455	130,855	7.2
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,303	18,345	7.1
Fab. Metal Prod.	7,839	113,810	6.9
Rubber & Plastics	2,266	33,819	6.7

\* Most recent 12-month average.

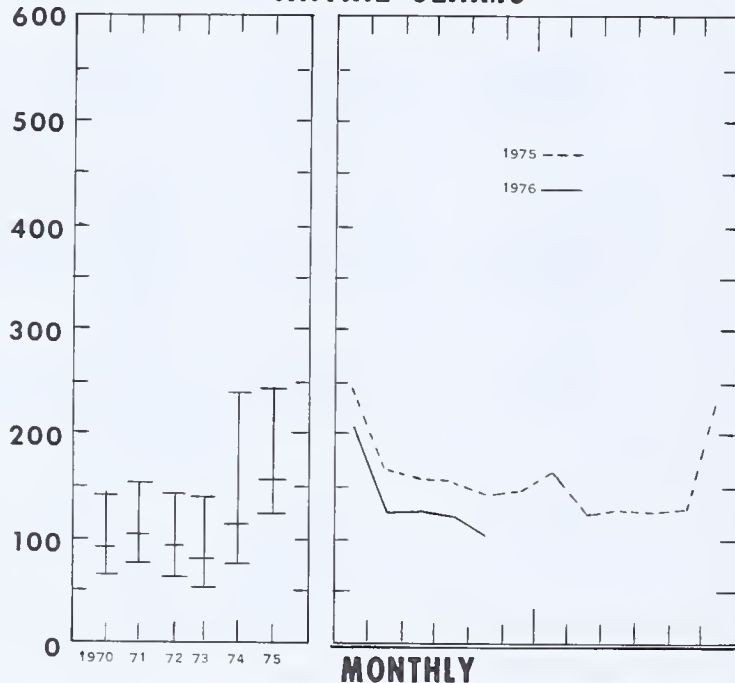
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Activity *	May 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,791,909	\$15,646,247
Gross Amount	2,817,038	15,752,079
Total Unemployment	2,719,692	15,287,107
Benefit Payments-Total No.	37,403	210,879
Weeks Compensated	36,503	207,452
Total Unemployment	34,482	197,726
Average Payment	\$77.17	\$75.93
First Payments	1,409	8,490
Final Payments	770	3,856
Initial Claims	2,074	10,338
Continued Claims	31,693	159,159
Benefit Appeals Received	83	400

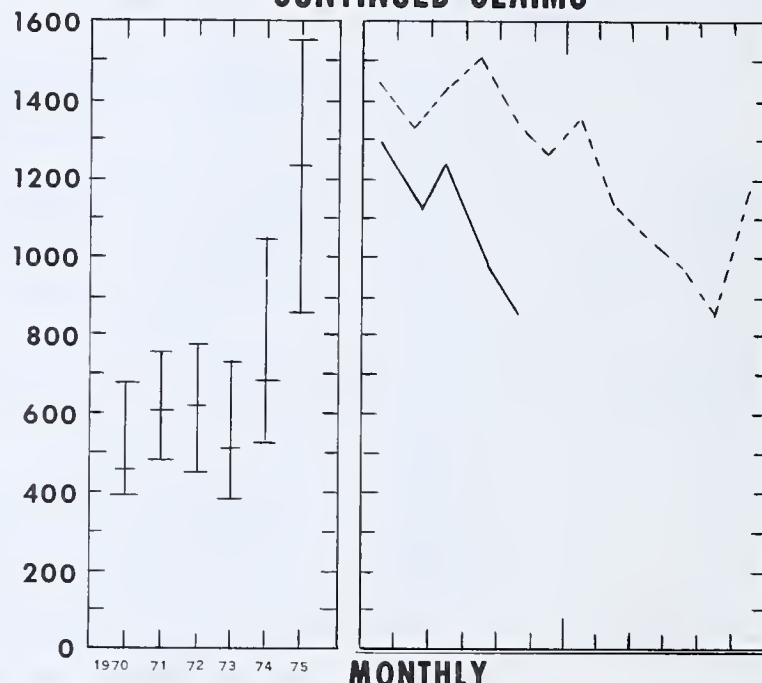
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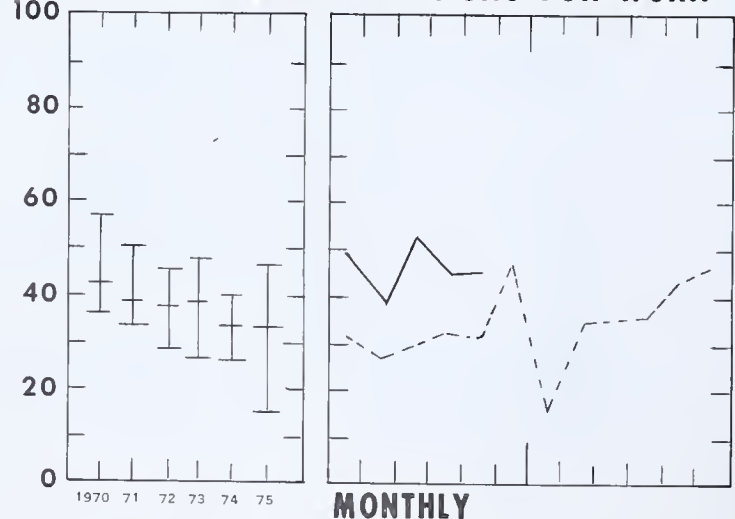
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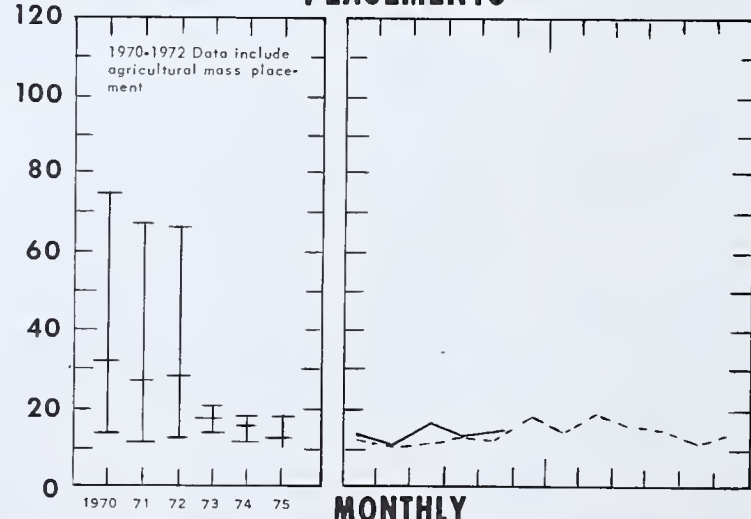
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**THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976**

As of June 30, 1976

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Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,708,439 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$932,371,252 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,767,805
Total Receipts .....	\$8,159,030,217 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	504,240,624
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UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$235,477,953	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,365,228
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$105,977,329		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

**KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS****Labor Force Statistics-May 12, 1976**

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,065,500
Total Employment .....	4,681,500
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,453,400
Total Unemployment .....	384,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.6

**Financial Statistics**

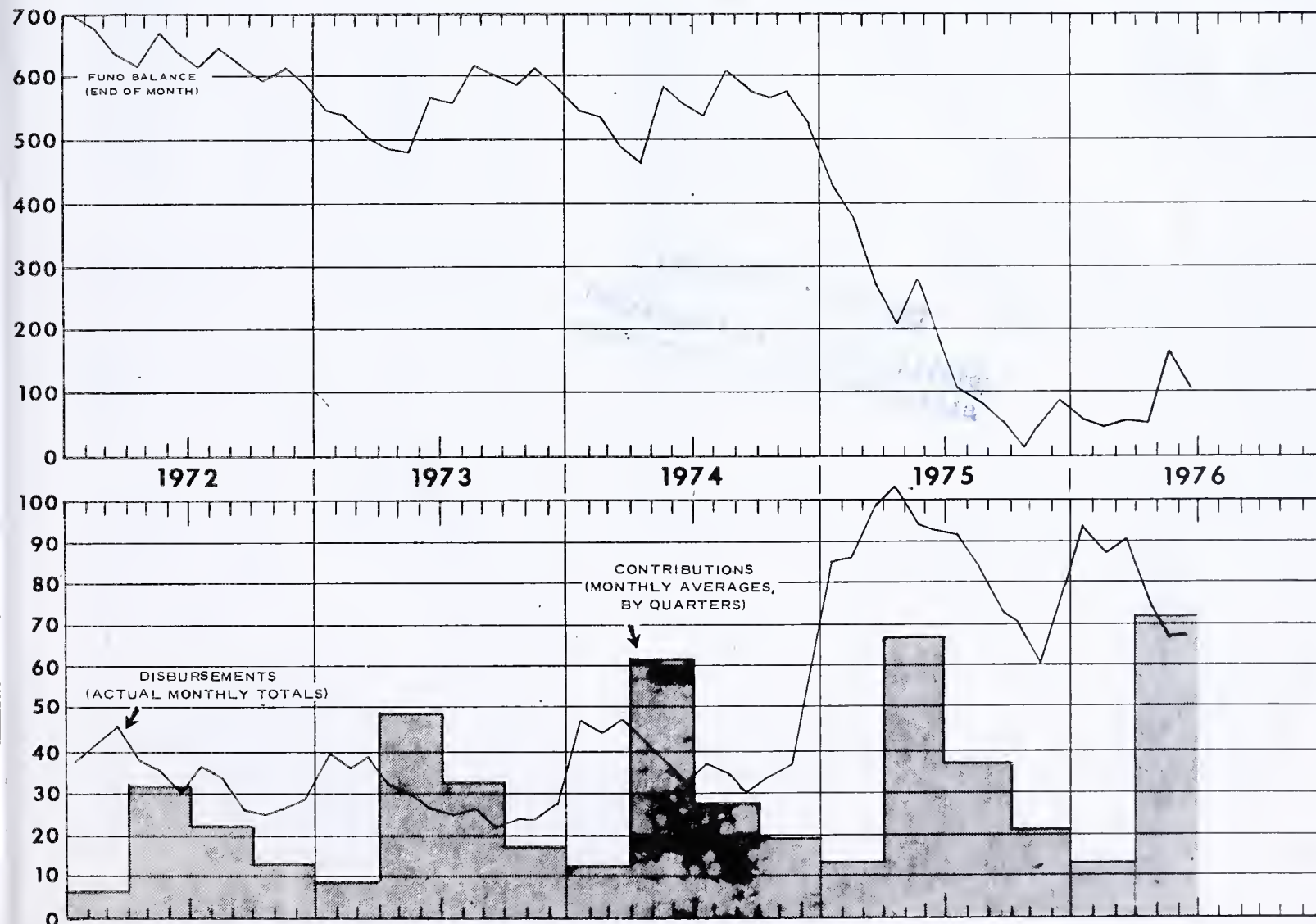
UC Receipts .....	\$1,222.5 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,308.8 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$103.7 million (as of 6/30/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.91% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.40% (last 12 mos.)

**U.C. Covered Statistics**

Employment .....	3,739,092 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	190,407 (as of 5/31/76)
Total Wages .....	37.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	14.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

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**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES**

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# EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	June 1976	June 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	508,944	392,559	+29.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	725,854	608,776	+19.2
Disadvantaged	250,541	189,253	+32.4
Black	141,055	123,174	+14.5
Handicapped	52,789	50,133	+ 5.3
Veteran	137,468	113,261	+21.4
Handicapped Veteran	17,143	15,290	+12.1
Vietnam Era	76,118	64,027	+18.9
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	44,472	47,972	- 7.3
Disadvantaged	23,340	24,771	- 5.8
Black	9,284	10,928	-15.0
Handicapped	10,212	12,954	-21.2
Veteran	13,619	13,168	+ 3.4
<u>Persons Tested</u>	22,086	25,378	-13.0
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	235,996	237,189	- 0.5
Nonagricultural	232,705	233,560	- 0.4
Agricultural	3,291	3,629	- 9.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	16,858	17,220	- 2.1
Nonagricultural	16,754	17,124	- 2.2
Agricultural	104	96	+ 8.3
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	139,795	129,823	+ 7.7
Nonagricultural	137,842	128,197	+ 7.5
Disadvantaged	44,463	29,330	+51.6
Black	24,665	23,400	+ 5.4
Handicapped	7,274	9,179	-20.8
Veteran	21,133	23,097	- 8.5
Handicapped Veteran	2,676	3,216	-16.8
Vietnam Era	14,562	16,053	- 9.3
Short Time - Total	11,028	8,398	+31.3
Disadvantaged	1,801	1,214	+48.4
Black	1,800	1,686	+ 6.8
Agricultural	2,323	2,006	+15.8
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	179,395	171,835	+ 4.4
Nonagricultural	175,825	168,161	+ 4.6
Agricultural	3,570	3,674	- 2.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	45,341	51,429	-11.8
Disadvantaged	16,775	15,911	+ 5.4
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	98,386	85,327	+15.3
To Major Employers	30,556	28,637	+ 6.7
Agricultural Employer Visits	3,577	1,959	+82.6
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	77,626	76,403	+ 1.6

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	June	May	June	Year to Date		% Change
	1976	1976	1975	1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$30,160,987	\$214,288,057	\$18,747,482	\$697,128,329	\$288,546,563	*
Contributions	5,008,376	184,288,057	3,446,130	257,090,292	235,412,487	+ 9.2
Interest	0	0	0	-11,215	14,205,591	*
Other	25,152,611	30,000,000	15,301,352	440,049,252	38,928,485	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$67,755,651	\$67,118,279	\$91,697,150	\$480,511,412	\$556,143,607	-13.6
Net Amount	67,499,758	67,003,431	91,445,325	478,577,163	555,314,169	-13.8
Total Unemployment	63,808,082	63,593,551	87,122,847	451,775,383	523,538,977	-13.7
Partial Unemployment	3,947,569	3,524,728	4,574,303	28,736,029	32,604,630	-11.9
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,362,638	\$8,848,889	\$9,204,565	\$62,184,925	\$40,647,600	+53.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	18,986,664	20,093,911	7,438,248	138,726,779	23,300,421	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,528,661	2,313,366	1,886,011	16,321,023	6,602,867	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-326,061,371 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-260,373,298 <sup>3/</sup>	\$190,025,234	\$-326,061,371 <sup>3/</sup>	\$190,025,234	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	41,750	39,674	46,799	358,258	460,681	-22.2
EB	13,950	13,898	14,442	91,451	80,047	+14.2
FSB	9,941	10,132	7,125	74,030	37,045	+99.8
SUA	2,580	1,359	5,624	14,558	29,238	-50.2
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	834,318	816,160	1,186,011	5,854,498	7,481,662	-21.8
EB	115,405	110,575	127,809	766,988	567,937	+35.0
FSB	236,975	250,213	104,954	1,729,934	327,477	*
SUA	40,521	36,151	42,255	265,592	138,371	+91.9
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	827,948	809,860	1,181,957	5,809,512	7,444,751	-22.0
Partial Unemployment	732,238	723,011	1,058,823	5,145,636	6,575,580	-21.8
Average Weekly Number	95,710	86,849	123,134	663,876	869,171	-23.6
	188,170	192,824	281,418	223,443	288,556	-22.6
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$81.84	\$82.88	\$77.58	\$82.71	\$74.70	+10.7
Partial Unemployment	87.14	87.96	82.28	87.80	79.62	+10.3
	41.25	40.58	37.15	43.29	37.51	+15.4
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	13,769	13,700	16,990	89,062	68,478	+30.1
EB	10,428	10,396	8,021	75,844	41,477	+82.9
FSB	7,919	9,530	0	45,867	0	*
SUA	511	479	227	3,003	227	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	129,900	101,927	144,468	798,826	984,272	-18.8
Additional	63,512	48,575	63,298	430,318	517,383	-16.8
	66,388	53,352	81,170	368,508	466,889	-21.1
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	58,860	50,470	60,025	438,481	526,713	-16.8
Ineligible	47,199	39,821	50,903	349,721	447,366	-21.8
	11,661	10,649	9,122	88,760	79,347	+11.9
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	951,693	830,664	1,223,853	6,268,142	8,076,956	-22.4
Applications	36,481	31,765	40,815	229,363	257,709	-11.0
Continued Claims	4,020	3,085	4,420	21,775	26,489	-17.8
	32,461	28,680	36,395	207,588	231,220	-10.2
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	43,777	38,962	41,220	285,261	235,061	+21.4
Continued Claims	4,791	3,947	4,778	29,575	30,300	- 2.4
	38,986	35,015	36,442	255,686	204,761	+24.9
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	3,822	3,049	2,536	19,014	15,049	+26.3
	51	65	39	313	211	+48.3
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	190,407	193,279	NA	193,279	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JUNE

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment*	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	29,783	184,632	16.1
Apparel Mfg.	16,962	132,488	12.8
Textile Products	4,682	50,595	9.3
Leather Products	1,650	19,779	8.3
Transp. Equip.	5,462	66,611	8.2
Furniture & Fixtures	1,514	18,593	8.1
Passenger Transit	1,364	17,779	7.7
Food Products	7,288	99,530	7.3
Retail Apparel	3,223	45,362	7.1
Coal Mining	2,662	37,763	7.0
Wholesale Trade-Dur.	8,674	130,855	6.6
Rubber & Plastics	2,218	33,819	6.6

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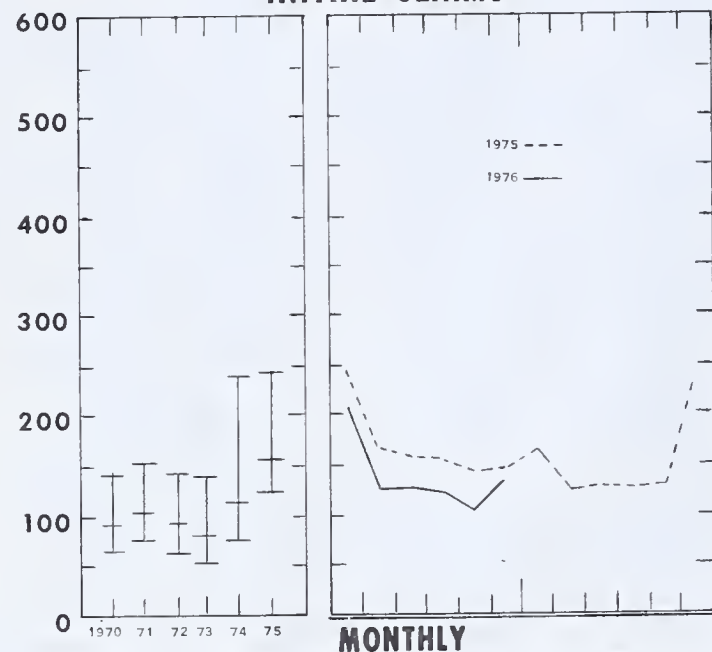
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Activity *	June 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,968,201	\$18,614,448
Gross Amount	2,991,901	18,743,980
Total Unemployment	2,894,894	18,182,001
Benefit Payments-Total No.	39,433	250,312
Weeks Compensated	38,790	246,242
Total Unemployment	36,784	234,510
Average Payment	\$77.13	\$76.12
First Payments	1,703	10,193
Final Payments	781	4,637
Initial Claims	2,976	13,314
Continued Claims	37,910	197,069
Benefit Appeals Received	103	503

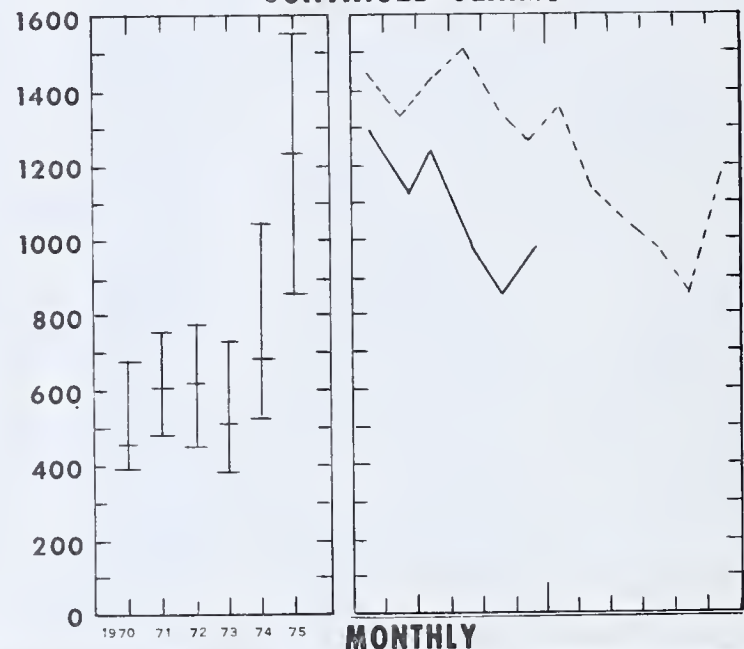
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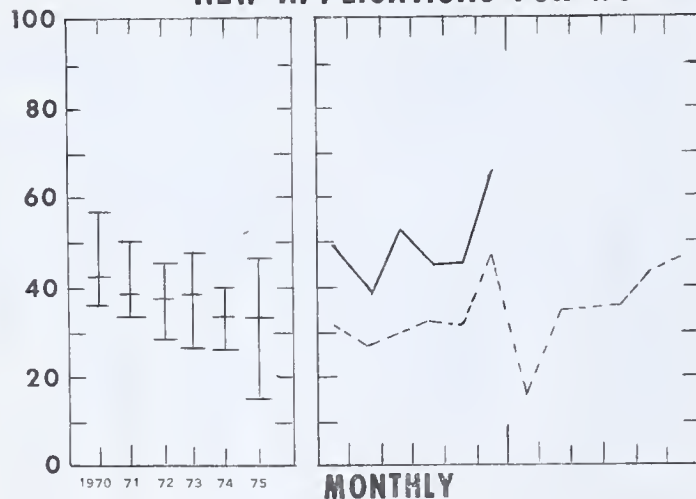
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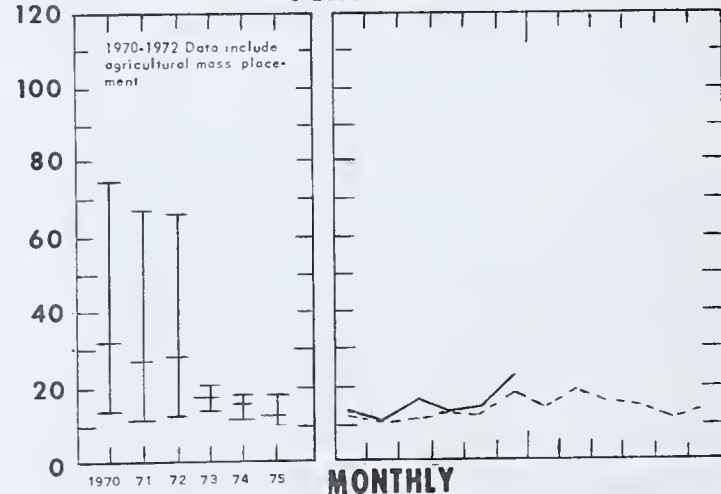
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## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of July 31, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,749,128,814
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717
Other Receipts .....	\$953,921,252 <u>a/</u>
Total Receipts .....	\$8,202,467,783 <u>a/</u>
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,065,863,687
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$238,509,701
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$107,542,524

Applications for Work Taken .....	20,800,657
Job Placements Made .....	14,724,200 <u>b/</u>
Employer Reports Received .....	28,826,043
Wage Records Received .....	504,875,452
No. UC Payments Made* .....	225,538,675
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,001,617
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,388,667

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-June 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,120,200
Total Employment .....	4,715,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,472,600
Total Unemployment .....	405,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.9

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,237.5 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,289.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$55.6 million (as of 7/31/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.90% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	6.22% (last 12 mos.)

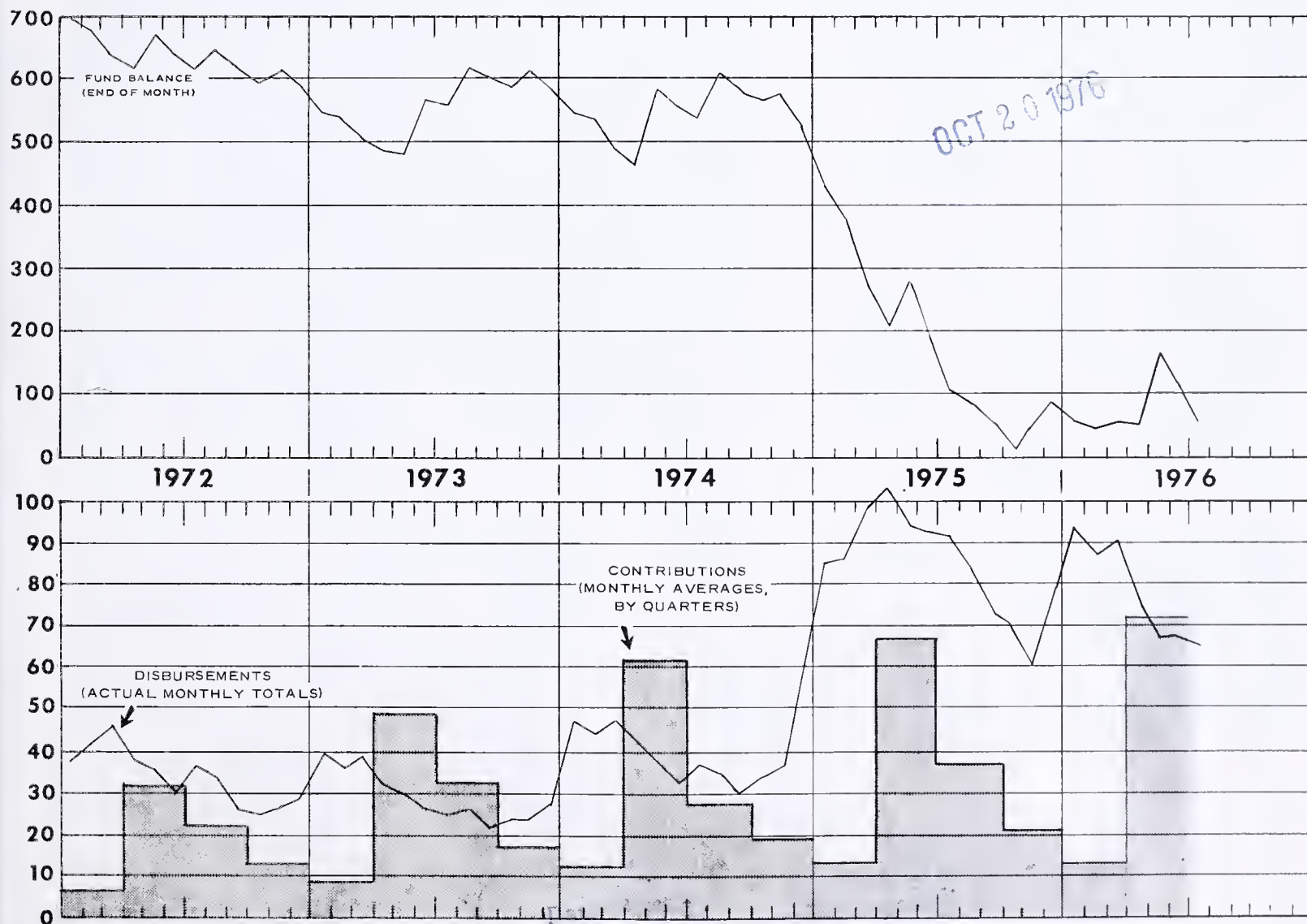
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,739,092 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	191,390 (as of 6/30/76)
Total Wages .....	\$37.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.5 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$429,734,825.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ 12-month period January - December 1975.

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	July 1976	July 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	561,299	407,870	+37.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	776,744	829,315	- 6.3
Disadvantaged	267,779	294,666	- 9.1
Black	150,604	182,811	-17.6
Handicapped	55,921	65,999	-15.3
Veteran	145,318	154,390	- 5.9
Handicapped Veteran	18,080	20,512	-11.9
Vietnam Era	80,283	87,101	- 7.8
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	47,760	49,654	- 3.8
Disadvantaged	25,102	25,632	- 2.1
Black	10,000	11,266	-11.2
Handicapped	10,928	13,373	-18.3
Veteran	14,553	13,575	+ 7.2
<u>Persons Tested</u>	23,933	25,927	- 7.7
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	259,928	255,991	+ 1.5
Nonagricultural	256,350	252,178	+ 1.7
Agricultural	3,578	3,813	- 6.2
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	14,750	18,797	-21.5
Nonagricultural	14,612	18,698	-21.9
Agricultural	138	99	+39.4
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	155,459	143,232	+ 8.5
Nonagricultural	153,348	141,358	+ 8.5
Disadvantaged	51,563	35,980	+43.3
Black	26,936	27,008	- 0.3
Handicapped	7,898	9,637	-18.0
Veteran	22,755	24,308	- 6.4
Handicapped Veteran	2,888	3,368	-14.3
Vietnam Era	15,638	16,865	- 7.3
Short Time - Total	12,222	9,485	+28.9
Disadvantaged	1,944	1,356	+43.4
Black	1,949	1,857	+ 5.0
Agricultural	2,542	2,254	+12.8
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	200,256	186,015	+ 7.7
Nonagricultural	196,378	182,025	+ 7.9
Agricultural	3,878	3,990	- 2.8
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	49,058	53,033	- 7.5
Disadvantaged	18,178	16,458	+10.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	107,071	88,197	+21.4
To Major Employers	33,036	29,689	+11.3
Agricultural Employer Visits	4,054	2,299	+76.3
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	84,358	79,661	+ 5.9

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Both fiscal year 1976 and 1975 reflect 13 months data.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	July	June	July	Year to Date		% Change
	1976	1976	1975	1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$43,437,566	\$30,160,987	\$28,425,432	\$740,565,895	\$316,971,995	*
Contributions	21,887,566	5,008,376	23,483,648	278,977,858	258,896,135	+ 7.8
Interest	0	0	0	-11,215	14,205,591	*
Other	21,550,000	25,152,611	4,941,784	461,599,252	43,870,269	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$65,494,114	\$67,755,651	\$90,906,440	\$546,005,526	\$647,050,047	-15.6
Net Amount	65,198,186	67,499,758	90,759,746	543,775,349	646,073,915	-15.8
Total Unemployment	61,884,628	63,808,082	86,560,312	513,660,011	610,099,289	-15.8
Partial Unemployment	3,609,486	3,947,569	4,346,128	32,345,515	36,950,758	-12.5
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,001,248	\$9,362,638	\$9,365,480	\$71,186,173	\$50,013,080	+42.3
Federal Supplementary Benefits	17,270,915	18,986,664	10,872,938	155,997,694	34,173,359	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,019,742	2,528,667	7,050,997	20,340,765	13,653,864	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	-\$374,094,154 <sup>3/</sup>	-\$326,061,371 <sup>3/</sup>	\$107,452,507	-\$374,094,154 <sup>3/</sup>	\$107,452,507	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	54,351	41,750	47,185	412,609	507,866	-18.8
EB	13,517	13,950	16,705	104,968	96,752	+ 8.5
FSB	9,957	9,941	8,183	83,987	45,228	+85.7
SUA	7,329	2,580	10,858	21,887	40,096	-45.4
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	817,780	834,318	1,177,032	6,672,278	8,658,694	-23.0
EB	111,487	115,405	127,982	878,475	695,919	+26.2
FSB	215,838	236,975	152,264	1,945,772	479,741	*
SUA	75,858	40,521	171,733	341,450	310,104	+10.1
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	812,627	827,948	1,173,193	6,622,139	8,617,944	-23.2
Partial Unemployment	728,906	732,238	1,062,631	5,874,542	7,638,211	-23.1
Average Weekly Number	83,721	95,710	110,562	747,597	979,733	-23.7
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$80.60	\$81.84	\$77.49	\$82.45	\$75.08	+ 9.8
Partial Unemployment	84.90	87.14	81.46	87.44	79.87	+ 9.5
	43.11	41.25	39.31	43.27	37.72	+14.7
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	14,310	13,769	18,888	103,372	87,366	+18.3
EB	10,542	10,428	10,121	86,386	51,598	+67.4
FSB	7,341	7,919	0	53,208	0	*
SUA	305	511	0	3,308	0	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	152,578	129,900	163,331	951,404	1,147,603	-17.1
Additional	81,054	63,512	72,134	511,372	589,517	-13.3
	71,524	66,388	91,197	440,032	558,086	-21.2
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	82,599	58,860	72,901	521,080	599,614	-13.1
Ineligible	64,340	47,199	61,867	414,061	509,233	-18.7
	18,259	11,661	11,034	107,019	90,381	+18.4
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	884,882	951,693	1,310,874	7,153,024	9,387,830	-28.8
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	34,099	36,481	44,995	263,462	302,704	-13.0
Continued Claims	3,579	4,020	4,697	25,354	31,186	-18.7
	30,520	32,461	40,298	238,108	271,518	-12.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	42,725	43,777	43,722	327,986	278,783	+17.6
Continued Claims	5,193	4,791	5,346	34,768	35,646	- 2.5
	37,532	38,986	38,376	293,218	243,137	+20.6
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,981	3,822	1,877	21,995	16,926	+29.9
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	53	51	33	366	244	+50.0
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	191,390	192,177	NA	192,177	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JULY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Passenger Transit	3,317	17,779	18.7
Construction	26,308	184,632	14.2
Apparel Mfg.	18,615	132,488	14.1
Leather Prod.	2,342	19,779	11.8
Textile Prod.	4,781	50,595	9.4
Transp. Equip.	5,133	66,611	7.7
Furn. & Fixtures	1,420	18,593	7.6
Food Products	7,009	99,530	7.0
Misc. Manufacturing	1,973	28,283	7.0
Rubber & Plastics	2,315	33,819	6.8
Retail Apparel	3,088	45,362	6.8
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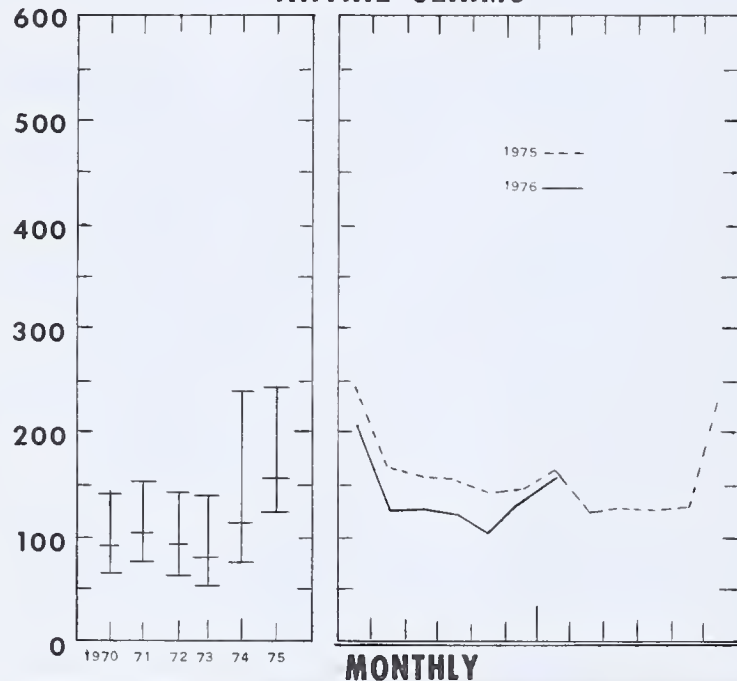
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Activity *	July 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,064,948	\$21,679,396
Gross Amount	3,076,730	21,820,710
Total Unemployment	2,989,797	21,171,798
Benefit Payments-Total No.	40,026	290,038
Weeks Compensated	39,513	285,755
Total Unemployment	37,745	272,255
Average Payment	\$77.87	\$76.36
First Payments	2,062	12,255
Final Payments	676	5,313
Initial Claims	3,090	17,220
Continued Claims	36,299	256,617
Benefit Appeals Received	97	600

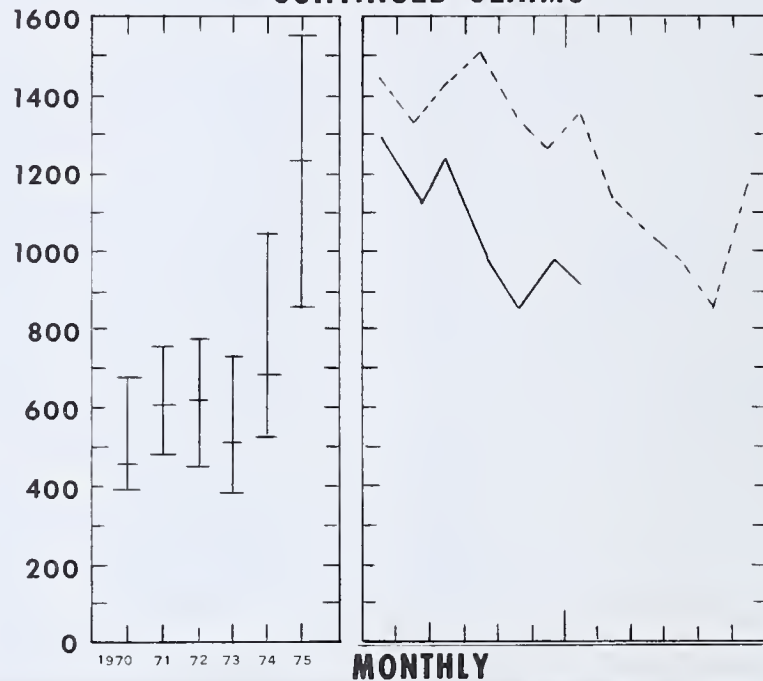
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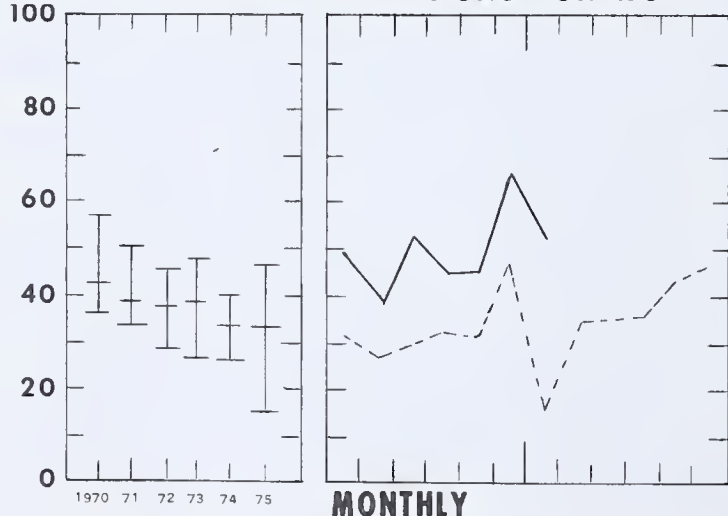
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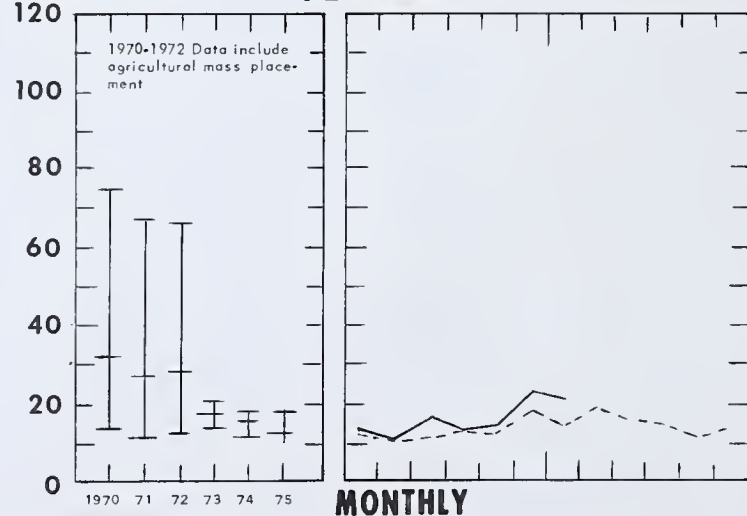
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Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,736,416 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$980,371,252 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,955,154
Total Receipts .....	\$8,321,994,137 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	507,097,024
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,155,117,662	No. UC Payments Made* .....	226,663,956
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,687	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,041,273
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$241,682,007	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,413,754
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$109,246,668		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-July 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,114,100
Total Employment .....	4,699,100
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,448,700
Total Unemployment .....	415,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	8.1

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,274.4 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,273.0 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$85.9 million (as of 8/31/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.92% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.98% (last 12 mos.)

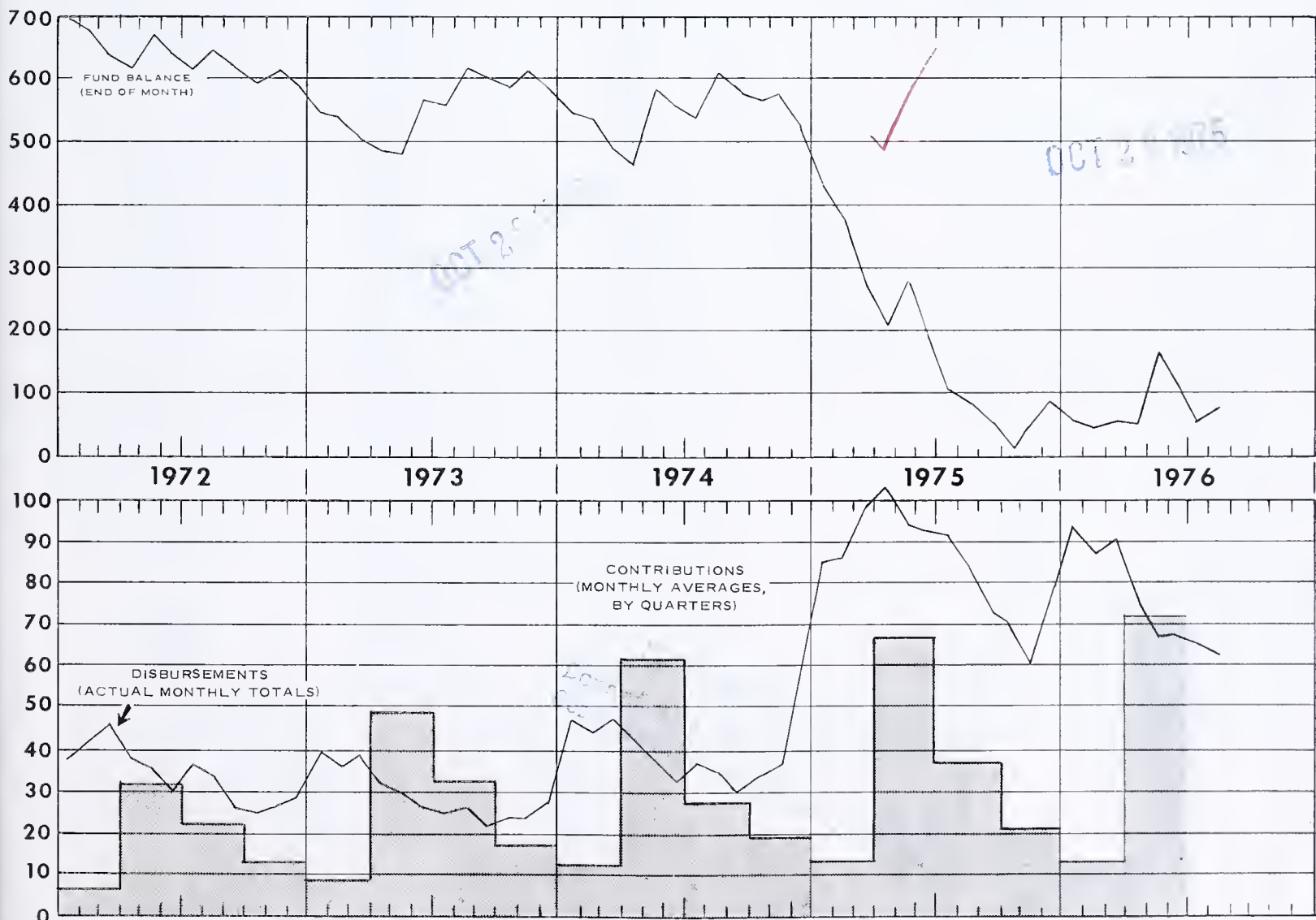
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,741,181 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	190,931 (as of 7/31/76)
Total Wages .....	38.0 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	14.8 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$429,734,825.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ 12-month period April 1975-March 1976.

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date *		% Change
	August 1976	August 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	608,429	442,064	+37.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	821,892	870,160	- 5.5
Disadvantaged	281,080	306,256	- 8.2
Black	158,557	188,785	-16.0
Handicapped	59,341	68,914	-13.9
Veteran	154,065	162,058	- 4.9
Handicapped Veteran	19,263	21,443	-10.2
Vietnam Era	84,870	91,776	- 7.5
<u>Individuals Counseled-Total</u>	51,569	53,563	- 3.7
Disadvantaged	26,597	27,726	- 4.1
Black	10,790	12,199	-11.6
Handicapped	11,871	14,331	-17.2
Veteran	15,888	14,483	+ 9.7
<u>Persons Tested</u>	26,089	27,247	- 4.3
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	283,112	281,490	+ 0.6
Nonagricultural	278,969	277,292	+ 0.6
Agricultural	4,143	4,198	- 1.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	14,458	24,235	-40.3
Nonagricultural	14,227	24,016	-40.8
Agricultural	231	219	+ 5.5
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	167,590	159,747	+ 4.9
Nonagricultural	165,361	157,610	+ 4.9
Disadvantaged	55,735	43,185	+29.1
Black	28,712	31,540	- 9.0
Handicapped	8,560	10,282	-16.7
Veteran	24,874	26,167	- 4.9
Handicapped Veteran	3,130	3,584	-12.7
Vietnam Era	17,122	18,154	- 5.7
Short-Time-Total	13,143	10,037	+30.9
Disadvantaged	2,158	1,470	+46.8
Black	2,069	2,053	+ 0.8
Agricultural	2,731	2,524	+ 8.2
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	217,363	204,092	+ 6.5
Nonagricultural	213,198	199,714	+ 6.8
Agricultural	4,165	4,378	- 4.9
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	53,315	56,647	- 5.9
Disadvantaged	19,714	17,730	+11.2
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	117,209	95,356	+22.9
To Major Employers	36,213	32,006	+13.1
Agricultural Employer Visits	4,637	2,732	+69.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	90,781	85,056	+ 6.7

\* Both fiscal year 1976 and 1975 reflect 14 months data.

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	August 1976	July 1976	August 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts-Total</b>	\$114,526,355	\$43,437,566	\$82,596,740	\$860,092,250	\$399,568,735	*
Contributions	93,076,355	21,887,566	82,596,740	372,054,213	341,492,875	+ 9.0
Interest	0	0	0	-11,215	14,205,591	*
Other	26,450,000	21,550,000	0	488,049,252	43,870,269	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$62,558,622	\$65,494,114	\$80,766,093	\$608,564,148	\$727,816,140	-16.4
Net Amount	62,292,775	65,198,186	80,631,898	606,068,124	726,705,813	-16.6
Total Unemployment	59,116,519	61,884,628	76,877,235	572,776,520	686,976,524	-16.6
Partial Unemployment	3,442,103	3,609,486	3,888,858	35,787,618	40,839,616	-12.4
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,011,666	\$9,001,248	\$11,538,676	\$81,197,839	\$61,551,755	+31.9
Federal Supplementary Benefits	16,949,534	17,270,915	13,356,914	172,947,228	47,530,273	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	15,737,276	4,019,742	10,166,331	36,078,041	23,820,195	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-343,821,774 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-374,094,154 <sup>3/</sup>	\$84,521,755	\$-343,821,774 <sup>3/</sup>	\$84,521,755	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	47,783	54,351	49,679	460,392	557,545	-17.4
EB	18,376	13,517	26,104	123,344	122,856	+ 0.4
FSB	10,383	9,957	11,728	94,370	56,956	+65.7
SUA	28,502	7,329	9,448	50,389	49,544	+ 1.7
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	790,105	817,780	1,048,453	7,462,383	9,707,147	-23.1
EB	126,498	111,487	155,297	1,004,973	851,216	+18.1
FSB	210,414	215,838	186,221	2,156,186	665,962	*
SUA	293,015	75,858	223,894	634,465	533,998	+18.8
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	783,559	812,627	1,043,714	7,405,698	9,661,658	-23.4
Partial Unemployment	697,942	728,906	942,571	6,572,484	8,580,782	-23.4
Average Weekly Number	85,617	83,721	101,143	833,214	1,080,876	-22.9
	178,082	184,688	248,503	212,807	279,239	-23.8
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$79.84	\$80.60	\$77.38	\$82.18	\$75.33	+ 9.1
Partial Unemployment	84.70	84.90	81.56	87.15	80.06	+ 8.9
	40.20	43.11	38.45	42.95	37.78	+13.7
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	17,948	14,310	28,662	121,320	116,028	+ 4.6
EB	10,669	10,542	12,146	97,055	63,744	+52.3
FSB	6,074	7,341	0	59,282	0	*
SUA	313	305	0	3,621	0	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	112,853	152,578	118,026	1,064,257	1,265,629	-15.9
Additional	52,852	81,054	52,227	564,224	641,744	-12.1
	60,001	71,524	65,799	500,033	623,885	-19.9
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	53,712	82,599	56,899	574,792	656,513	-12.5
Ineligible	43,009	64,340	48,443	457,070	557,676	-18.1
	10,703	18,259	8,456	117,722	98,837	+19.1
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	864,441	884,882	1,117,637	8,017,465	10,505,467	-23.7
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	35,154	34,099	42,110	298,616	344,814	-13.4
Continued Claims	3,858	3,579	4,381	29,212	35,567	-17.9
	31,296	30,520	37,729	269,404	309,247	-12.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	46,019	42,725	40,887	374,005	319,670	+17.0
Continued Claims	5,049	5,193	4,596	39,817	40,242	- 1.1
	40,970	37,532	36,291	334,188	279,428	+19.6
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	2,790	2,981	3,046	24,785	19,972	+24.1
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	69	53	75	435	319	+36.4
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	190,931	191,945	NA	191,945	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-AUGUST

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Passenger Transit	3,500	17,897	19.6
Apparel Mfg.	18,334	134,810	13.6
Construction	23,687	181,734	13.0
Leather Products	2,178	20,423	10.7
Textile Products	4,832	51,011	9.5
Transportation Equip.	5,292	65,755	8.0
Retail Apparel	3,244	45,665	7.1
Furniture & Fixtures	1,133	18,272	6.2
Rubber & Plastics	2,010	34,010	5.9
Food Products	5,821	99,955	5.8
Gen. Merchandise	7,516	129,343	5.8
Misc. Manufacturing	1,623	28,073	5.8

\* Most recent 12-month average.

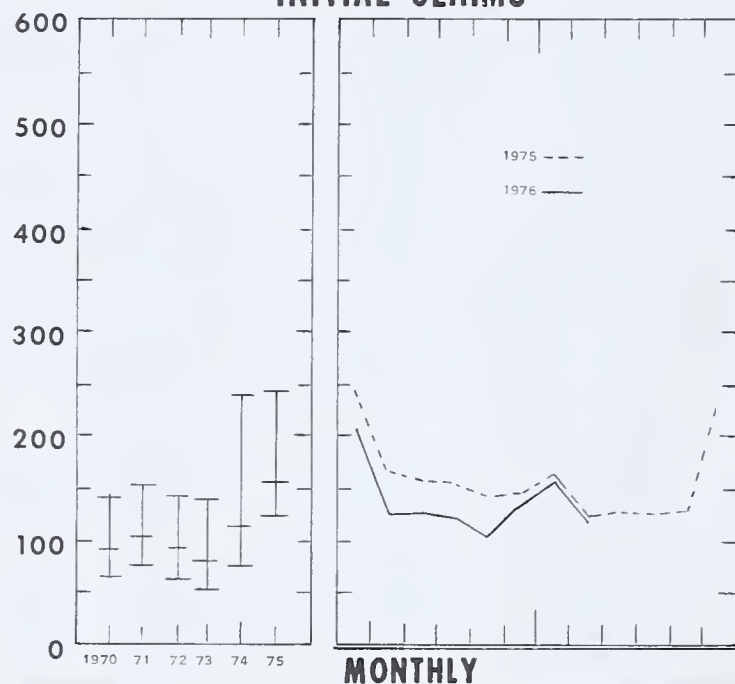
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Activity *	August 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,282,437	\$24,961,833
Gross Amount	3,300,199	25,120,909
Total Unemployment	3,219,919	24,391,717
Benefit Payments-Total No.	42,360	332,398
Weeks Compensated	41,748	327,503
Total Unemployment	40,092	312,347
Average Payment	\$79.05	\$76.70
First Payments	2,199	14,454
Final Payments	792	6,105
Initial Claims	2,736	19,956
Continued Claims	40,680	297,297
Benefit Appeals Received	78	678

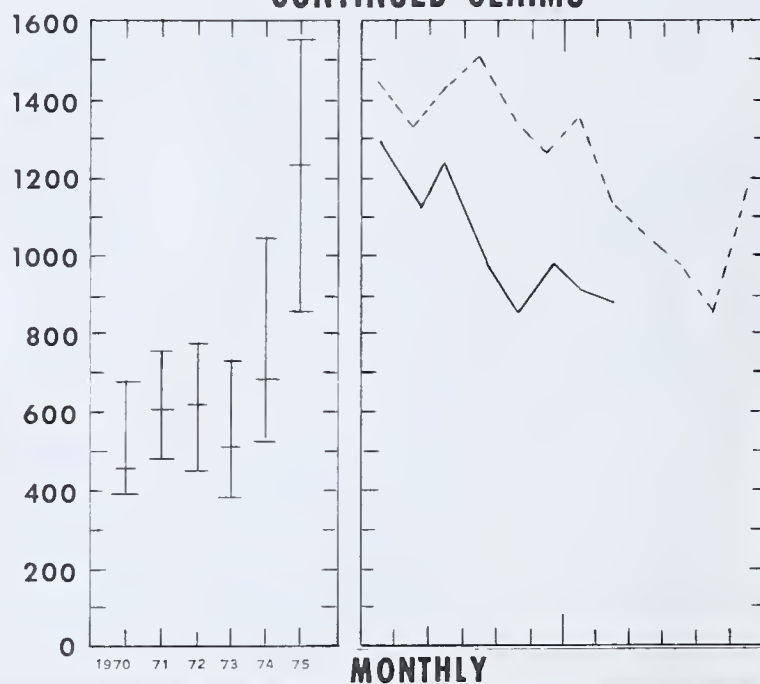
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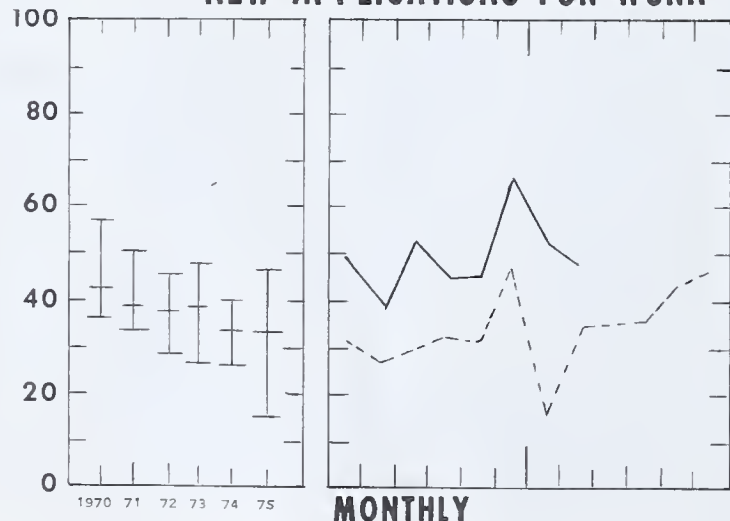
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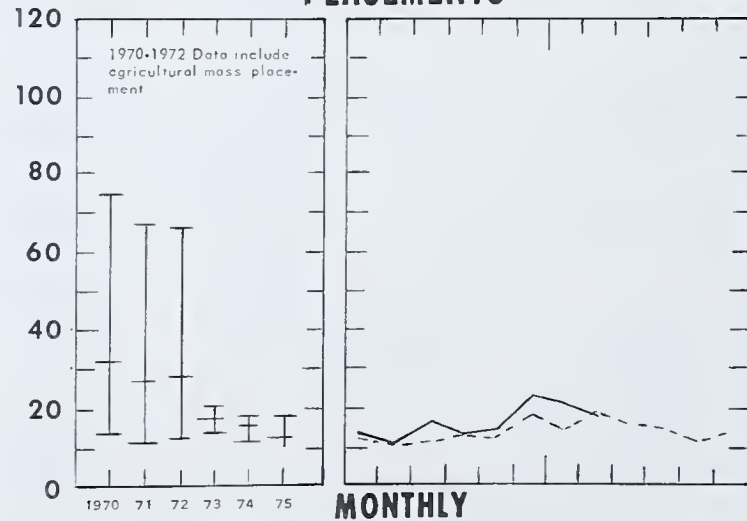
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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

SEPTEMBER 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of September 30, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,846,543,296	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,899,618
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,749,480 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,003,521,253 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	28,963,833
Total Receipts .....	\$8,349,482,266 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	508,600,738
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,239,252,919	No. UC Payments Made* .....	227,721,149
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,687	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,078,504
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$244,659,704	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,438,936
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$110,944,639		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

### KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

#### Labor Force Statistics-August 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,059,600
Total Employment .....	4,682,600
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,437,500
Total Unemployment .....	377,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	7.5

#### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,228.0 million (last 12 mos.) <u>a/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,255.0 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$29.3 million (as of 9/30/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.93% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.88% (last 12 mos.)

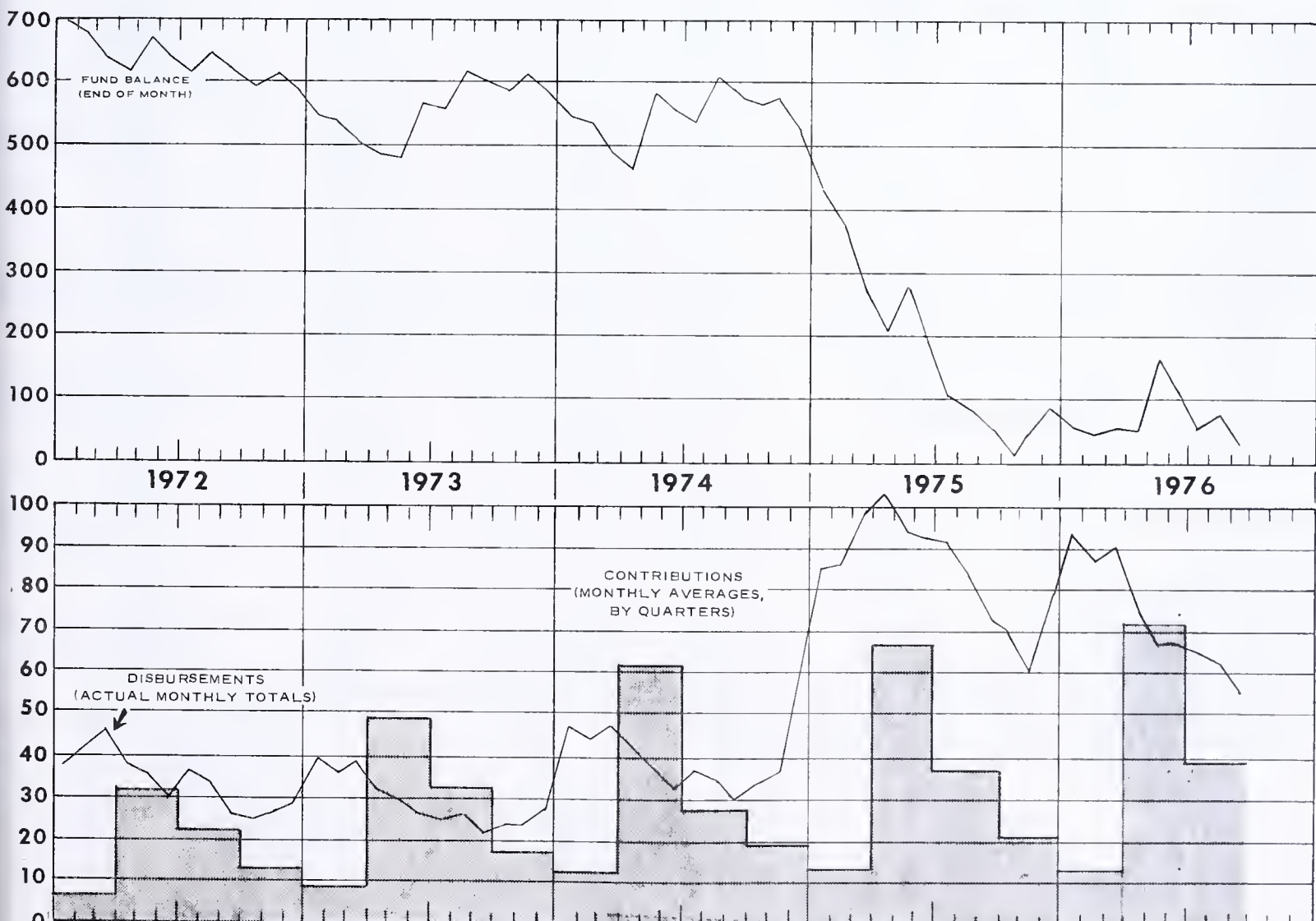
#### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,741,181 (12 mo. avg.) <u>c/</u>
Employers .....	191,276 (as of 8/31/76)
Total Wages .....	\$38.0 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <u>c/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$429,734,825.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements  
c/ 12-month period April 1975 - March 1976.

### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES

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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	September 1976	September 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	659,339	476,592	+38.3
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	870,788	909,172	- 4.2
Disadvantaged	295,520	316,288	- 6.6
Black	167,762	195,300	-14.1
Handicapped	63,052	71,695	-12.1
Veteran	162,583	169,213	- 3.9
Handicapped Veteran	20,405	22,300	- 8.5
Vietnam Era	89,495	96,215	- 7.0
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	55,393	57,461	- 3.6
Disadvantaged	28,711	29,712	- 3.4
Black	11,557	13,167	-12.2
Handicapped	12,746	15,268	-16.5
Veteran	17,172	15,506	+10.7
<u>Persons Tested</u>	28,580	29,080	- 1.7
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	314,669	300,072	+ 4.9
Nonagricultural	309,672	295,149	+ 4.9
Agricultural	4,997	4,923	+ 1.5
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	19,059	26,851	-29.0
Nonagricultural	18,860	26,556	-29.0
Agricultural	199	295	-32.5
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	180,619	171,630	+ 5.2
Nonagricultural	178,039	169,028	+ 5.3
Disadvantaged	60,555	46,360	+30.6
Black	31,516	33,575	- 6.1
Handicapped	9,255	10,949	-15.5
Veteran	26,911	27,969	- 3.8
Handicapped Veteran	3,376	3,810	-11.4
Vietnam Era	18,542	19,424	- 4.5
Short-Time - Total	13,651	10,625	+28.5
Disadvantaged	2,343	1,592	+47.2
Black	2,229	2,212	+ 0.8
Agricultural	3,185	3,026	+ 5.3
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	236,377	218,945	+ 8.0
Nonagricultural	231,499	213,616	+ 8.4
Agricultural	4,878	5,329	- 8.5
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	57,982	60,768	- 4.6
Disadvantaged	21,492	19,152	+12.2
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	127,234	103,581	+22.8
To Major Employers	39,262	34,467	+13.9
Agricultural Employer Visits	5,128	2,976	+72.3
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	97,772	90,615	+ 7.9

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Both fiscal year 1976 and 1975 reflect 15 months data.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES 1/

Activity	September 1976	August 1976	September 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$27,488,128	\$119,526,355	\$84,626,928	\$887,488,128	\$484,195,663	*
Contributions	4,338,128	93,076,355	2,500,565	376,392,341	343,993,440	+ 9.4
Interest	0	0	3,609,335	-11,215	17,814,926	*
Other	\$23,150,000	\$26,450,000	\$78,517,028	511,199,252	122,387,297	*
<u>C Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$56,921,101	\$62,558,622	\$71,859,391	\$665,485,249	\$799,675,531	-16.8
Net Amount	56,798,518	62,292,775	71,600,700	662,866,642	798,306,513	-17.0
Total Unemployment	53,071,347	59,116,519	68,025,425	625,847,877	755,001,949	-17.1
Partial Unemployment	3,849,754	3,442,103	3,833,966	39,637,372	44,673,582	-11.3
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,981,152	10,011,666	\$15,765,731	92,178,991	\$77,317,486	+19.2
Federal Supplementary Benefits	16,355,587	16,949,534	14,809,222	189,302,815	62,339,495	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <u>2/</u>	12,146,021	15,737,276	8,245,068	48,224,062	32,065,263	*
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-400,468,903 <u>3/</u>	\$-343,821,774 <u>3/</u>	\$66,973,030	\$-400,468,903 <u>3/</u>	\$66,973,030	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	35,623	47,783	38,190	496,015	595,735	-16.7
EB	15,512	18,376	26,605	138,856	149,461	- 7.1
FSB	10,459	10,383	13,101	104,829	70,057	+49.6
SUA	12,421	28,502	7,561	62,810	57,105	+10.0
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	718,622	790,105	928,891	8,181,005	10,636,038	-23.1
EB	136,637	126,498	203,846	1,141,610	1,055,062	+ 8.2
FSB	203,202	210,414	204,494	2,359,388	870,456	*
SUA	227,698	293,015	163,660	862,163	697,658	+23.6
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	713,911	783,559	923,999	8,119,609	10,585,657	-23.3
Partial Unemployment	618,821	697,942	825,138	7,191,305	9,405,920	-23.5
Average Weekly Number	95,090	85,617	98,861	928,304	1,179,737	-21.3
	162,253	178,082	209,999	207,133	271,427	-23.7
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$79.73	\$79.84	\$77.77	\$81.96	\$75.54	+ 8.5
Partial Unemployment	85.76	84.70	82.44	87.03	80.27	+ 8.4
	40.49	40.20	38.78	42.70	37.87	+12.8
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	14,805	17,948	26,414	136,125	142,442	- 4.4
EB	11,482	10,669	13,779	108,537	77,523	+40.0
FSB	5,762	6,074	10,467	65,044	10,467	*
SUA	464	313	222	4,085	222	*
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	112,032	112,853	121,687	1,176,289	1,387,316	-15.2
Additional	48,528	52,852	46,536	612,752	688,280	-11.0
	63,504	60,001	75,151	563,537	699,036	-19.4
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	49,681	53,712	44,854	624,473	701,367	-11.0
Ineligible	39,666	43,009	37,640	496,736	595,316	-16.6
	10,015	10,703	7,214	127,737	106,051	+20.4
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
	801,959	864,441	1,001,785	8,819,424	11,507,252	-23.4
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>						
Applications	35,437	35,154	43,582	334,053	388,396	-14.0
Continued Claims	3,965	3,858	5,214	33,177	40,781	-18.6
	31,472	31,296	38,368	300,876	347,615	-13.4
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	45,908	46,019	41,084	419,913	360,754	+16.4
Continued Claims	5,225	5,049	4,759	45,042	45,001	+ 0.1
	40,683	40,970	36,325	374,871	315,753	+18.7
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
	4,046	2,790	2,864	28,831	22,836	+26.3
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>						
	55	69	30	490	349	+40.4
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	191,276	193,077	NA	193,077	*

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-SEPTEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	20,007	134,810	14.9
Leather Prod.	2,671	20,423	13.1
Passenger Transit	2,223	17,897	12.4
Construction	21,641	181,734	11.9
Textile Prod.	4,442	51,011	8.7
Transp. Equip.	4,250	65,755	6.5
Retail Apparel	2,844	45,665	6.2
Rubber & Plastics	1,917	34,010	5.6
Business Services	4,821	94,757	5.1
Misc. Manufacturing	1,416	28,073	5.0
Truck. & Warehousing	3,342	67,602	4.9
Fab. Metal Prod.	5,560	113,425	4.9

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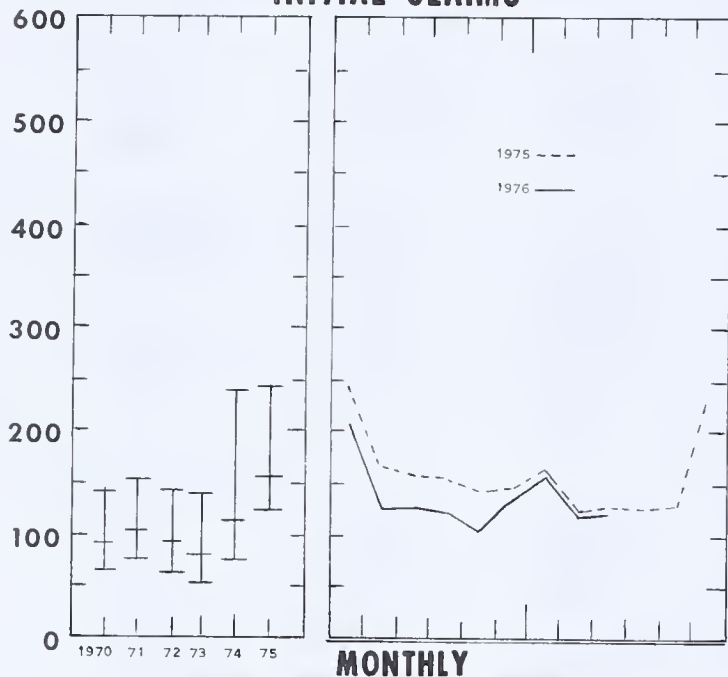
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Activity *	September 1976	1976 to Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,125,217	\$28,087,050
Gross Amount	3,160,056	28,280,965
Total Unemployment	3,072,650	27,464,367
Benefit Payments-Total No.	40,611	373,009
Weeks Compensated	39,974	367,477
Total Unemployment	38,217	350,564
Average Payment	\$79.05	\$76.96
First Payments	1,914	16,368
Final Payments	700	6,805
Initial Claims	2,504	22,460
Continued Claims	40,113	337,410
Benefit Appeals Received	111	789

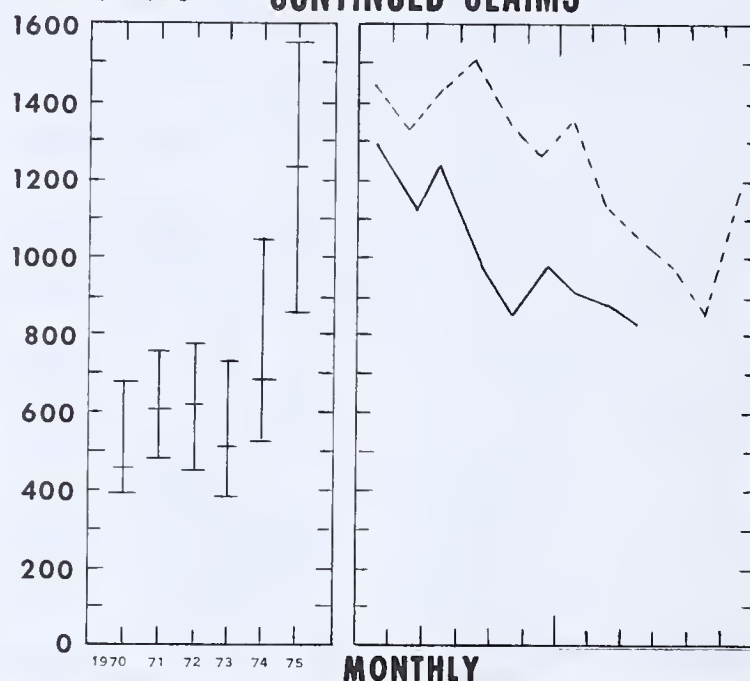
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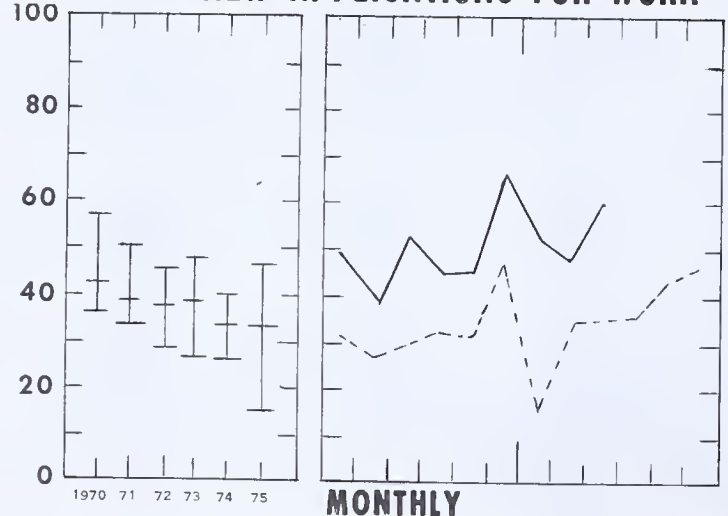
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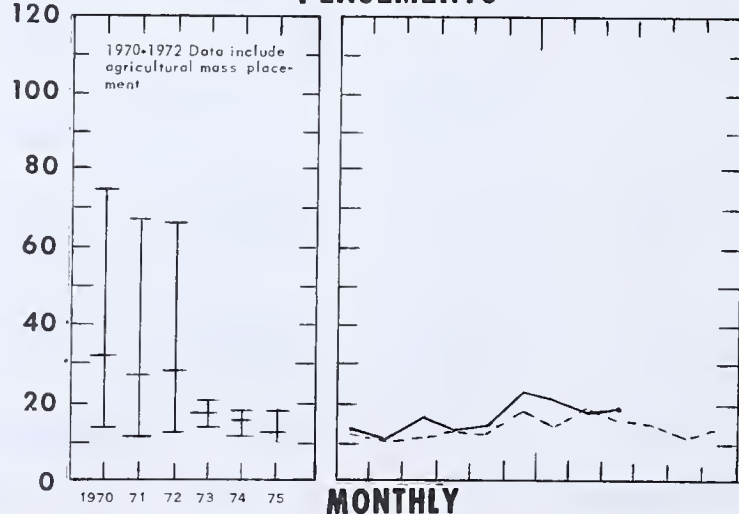
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OCTOBER 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of October 31, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,862,114,236	Applications for Work Taken .....	20,968,694
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,765,595 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,061,821,253 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,035,871
Total Receipts .....	\$8,423,353,206 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	509,510,311
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,319,428,722	No. UC Payments Made* .....	228,704,946
TUC Debt Paid .....	80,963,687	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,112,777
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$247,401,986	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,462,473
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$112,541,918		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-September 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,036,500
Total Employment .....	4,665,500
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,444,000
Total Unemployment .....	371,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.4

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,239.2 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,232.6 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$22.9 million (as of 10/31/76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.93% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.78% (last 12 mos.)

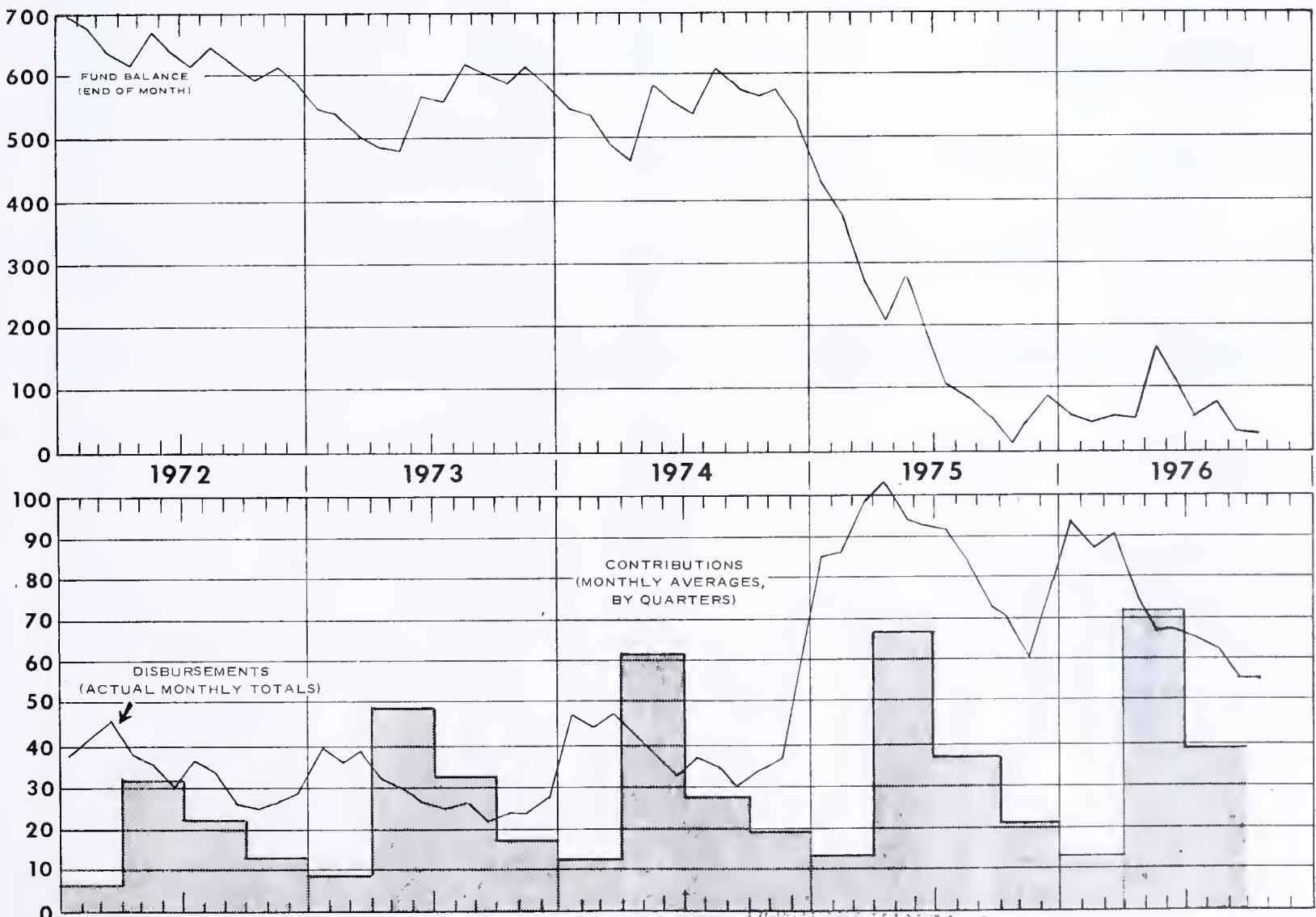
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,741,181 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	192,246 (as of 9/30/76)
Total Wages .....	\$38.0 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$464,734,825b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$430,207,472d/ 12-month period April 1975-March 1976.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date *		% Change
	October 1976	October 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	46,110	34,746	+32.7
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	373,159	337,669	+10.5
Disadvantaged	147,959	137,580	+ 7.5
Black	89,537	78,418	+14.2
Handicapped	31,943	24,256	+31.7
Veteran	76,358	62,104	+23.0
Handicapped Veteran	10,645	7,877	+35.1
Vietnam Era	40,690	36,473	+11.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	5,175	4,075	+27.0
Disadvantaged	2,287	2,259	+ 1.2
Black	1,027	869	+18.2
Handicapped	1,250	952	+31.3
Veteran	1,565	1,174	+33.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	1,869	1,830	+ 2.1
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	17,350	19,188	- 9.6
Nonagricultural	17,133	18,860	- 9.2
Agricultural	217	328	-33.8
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	14,359	28,215	-49.1
Nonagricultural	14,255	27,977	-49.0
Agricultural	104	238	-56.3
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	16,128	10,394	+55.2
Nonagricultural	15,936	10,314	+54.5
Disadvantaged	4,944	2,182	+126.6
Black	4,390	1,606	+173.3
Handicapped	748	636	+17.6
Veteran	2,256	1,892	+19.2
Handicapped Veteran	269	232	+15.9
Vietnam Era	1,620	1,331	+21.7
Short Time - Total	851	513	+65.9
Disadvantaged	171	106	+61.3
Black	267	114	+134.2
Agricultural	204	115	+77.4
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	17,097	13,661	+25.2
Nonagricultural	16,904	13,358	+26.5
Agricultural	193	303	-36.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	4,780	3,981	+20.1
Disadvantaged	1,843	1,354	+36.1
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	10,222	9,451	+ 8.2
To Major Employers	3,011	3,004	+ 0.2
Agricultural Employer Visits	425	419	+ 1.4
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	6,626	6,256	+ 5.9

\* Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

1/ Include Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	October	September	October	Year to Date		% Change
	1976	1976	1975	1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$73,870,940	\$27,488,128	\$74,669,704	\$961,451,318	\$558,865,367	*
Contributions	15,570,940	4,338,128	15,642,351	391,963,281	359,635,791	+ 9.0
Interest	0	0	0	-11,215	17,814,926	*
Other	58,300,000	23,150,000	59,027,353	569,499,252	181,414,650	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$54,582,112	\$56,921,101	\$68,686,595	\$720,067,361	\$868,362,126	-17.1
Net Amount	54,325,068	56,798,518	68,756,780	717,191,711	867,063,293	-17.3
Total Unemployment	50,967,056	53,071,347	64,508,550	676,814,933	819,510,499	-17.4
Partial Unemployment	3,615,056	3,849,754	4,178,045	43,252,428	48,851,627	-11.5
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	9,969,069	10,981,152	17,540,336	102,148,060	94,857,822	+ 7.7
Federal Supplementary Benefits	15,881,665	16,355,587	16,279,939	205,184,480	78,619,434	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,744,867	12,146,021	3,163,828	52,968,929	35,229,091	*
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-441,773,766 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-400,468,903 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-18,217,025 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-441,773,766 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-18,217,025 <sup>5/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	41,878	35,623	38,507	537,893	634,242	-15.2
EB	13,476	15,512	23,552	152,332	173,013	-12.0
FSB	12,359	10,459	19,004	117,188	89,061	+31.6
SUA	3,798	12,421	2,069	66,608	59,174	+12.6
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	665,975	718,622	871,574	8,846,980	11,507,612	-23.1
EB	123,507	136,637	218,625	1,265,117	1,273,687	- 0.7
FSB	195,888	203,202	220,730	2,555,276	1,091,186	*
SUA	78,654	227,698	58,181	940,817	755,839	+24.5
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>	660,348	713,911	867,312	8,779,957	11,452,969	-23.3
Total Unemployment	571,664	618,821	763,258	7,762,969	10,169,178	-23.7
Partial Unemployment	88,684	95,090	104,054	1,016,988	1,283,791	-20.8
Average Weekly Number	157,226	162,253	188,546	202,303	262,683	-23.0
<b>Average Payment</b>	\$82.66	\$79.73	\$79.19	\$82.01	\$75.82	+ 8.2
Total Unemployment	89.16	85.76	84.52	87.19	80.59	+ 8.2
Partial Unemployment	40.76	40.49	40.15	42.53	38.05	+11.8
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	13,009	14,805	22,104	149,134	164,546	- 9.4
EB	13,420	11,482	22,521	121,957	100,044	+21.9
FSB	5,621	5,762	4,585	70,665	15,052	*
SUA	599	464	526	4,684	748	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>	131,218	112,032	121,571	1,307,507	1,508,887	-13.3
New	63,866	48,528	51,266	676,618	739,546	- 8.5
Additional	67,352	63,504	70,305	630,889	769,341	-18.0
<b>Financial Determinations</b>	61,752	49,681	51,068	686,225	752,435	- 8.8
Eligible	44,889	39,666	40,756	541,625	636,072	-14.9
Ineligible	16,863	10,015	10,312	144,600	116,363	+24.3
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>	759,421	801,959	982,483	9,578,845	12,489,735	-23.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>	34,175	35,437	43,955	368,228	432,351	-14.8
Applications	3,738	3,965	4,455	36,915	45,236	-18.4
Continued Claims	30,437	31,472	39,500	331,313	387,115	-14.4
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>	44,218	45,908	43,882	464,131	404,636	+14.7
Applications	4,889	5,225	5,222	49,931	50,223	- 0.6
Continued Claims	39,329	40,683	38,660	414,200	354,413	+16.9
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	4,481	4,046	3,709	33,312	26,545	+25.5
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	62	55	49	552	398	+38.7
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	192,246	192,326	NA	192,326	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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<sup>5/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$34,527,353.



# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-OCTOBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Leather Products	3,062	20,423	15.0
Apparel Manufacturing	18,027	134,810	13.4
Construction	22,364	181,734	12.3
Coal Mining	3,602	38,575	9.3
Textile Products	4,327	51,011	8.4
Transp. Equip.	4,131	65,755	6.3
Fab. Metal Prod.	7,117	113,425	6.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,003	18,565	5.4
Rubber & Plastics	1,828	34,010	5.4
Retail Apparel	2,439	45,665	5.3
Truck, & Warehousing	3,345	67,602	4.9
Misc. Manufacturing	1,379	28,073	4.9

\* Most recent 12-month average.

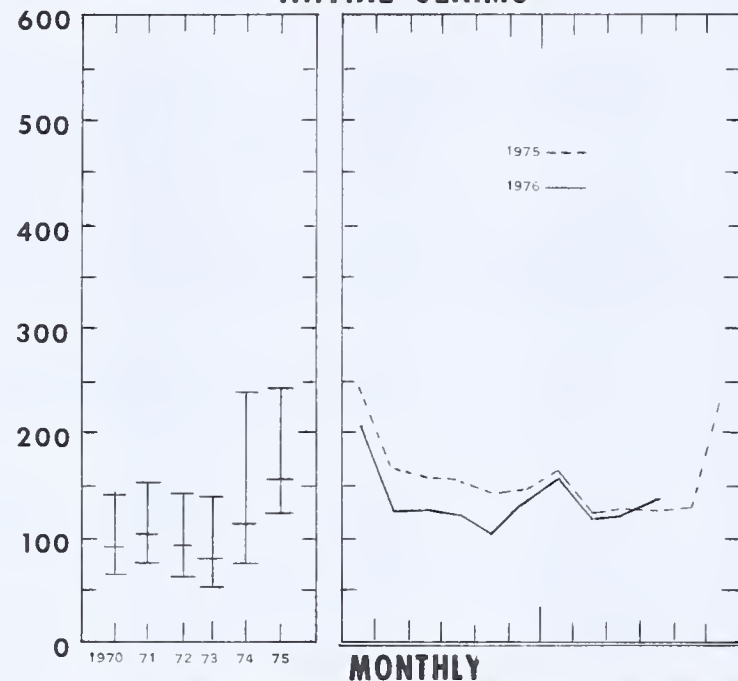
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	October 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,903,454	\$30,990,504
Gross Amount	2,950,445	31,231,410
Total Unemployment	2,873,403	30,337,770
Benefit Payments-Total No.	37,613	410,622
Weeks Compensated	37,149	404,626
Total Unemployment	35,574	386,138
Average Payment	\$79.42	\$77.19
First Payments	1,737	18,105
Final Payments	627	7,432
Initial Claims	2,455	24,915
Continued Claims	38,633	376,043
Benefit Appeals Received	108	897

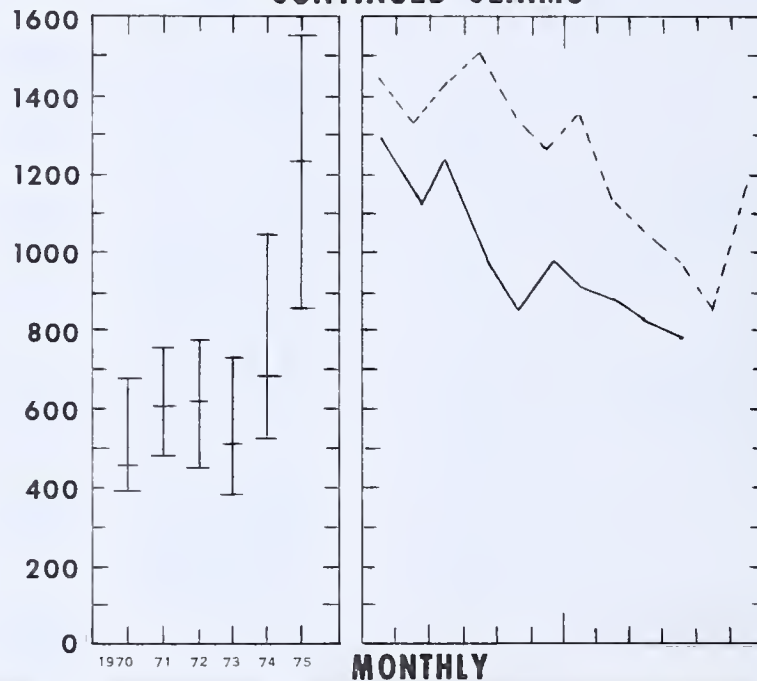
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## ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1970 TO DATE

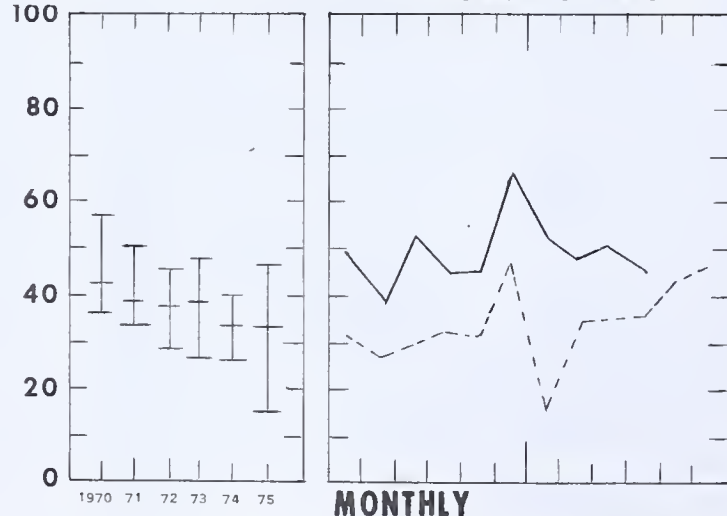
### THOUSANDS INITIAL CLAIMS



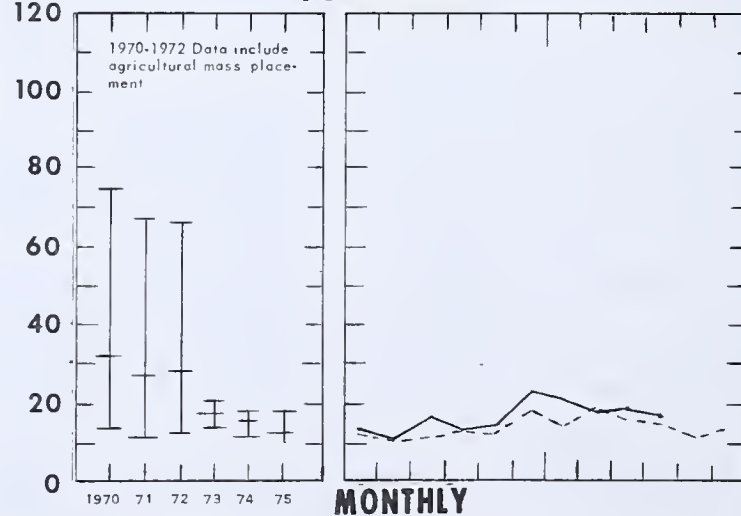
### THOUSANDS CONTINUED CLAIMS



### THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK



### THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS



Tables and charts on these pages include the principal statistics of current significance relating to the operation of the employment service and unemployment compensation programs. The data concerning the various activities of the Bureau are derived from periodic reports collected from the offices of the Pennsylvania State Employment Service and the various divisions responsible for the administration of the Pennsylvania U.C. Law.

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## BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

NOVEMBER 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of November 30, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,906,641,094	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,029,853
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,776,217 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,089,746,253 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,151,283
Total Receipts .....	\$8,495,805,064 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	511,578,296
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,413,893,940	No. UC Payments Made* .....	229,846,177
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,687	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,150,112
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$250,386,268	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,488,913
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$114,329,185		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-October 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,041,100
Total Employment .....	4,663,100
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,446,300
Total Unemployment .....	378,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.8

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,192.9 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,237.4 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	0.9 million (as of 11-30-76) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.96% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.81% (last 12 mos.)

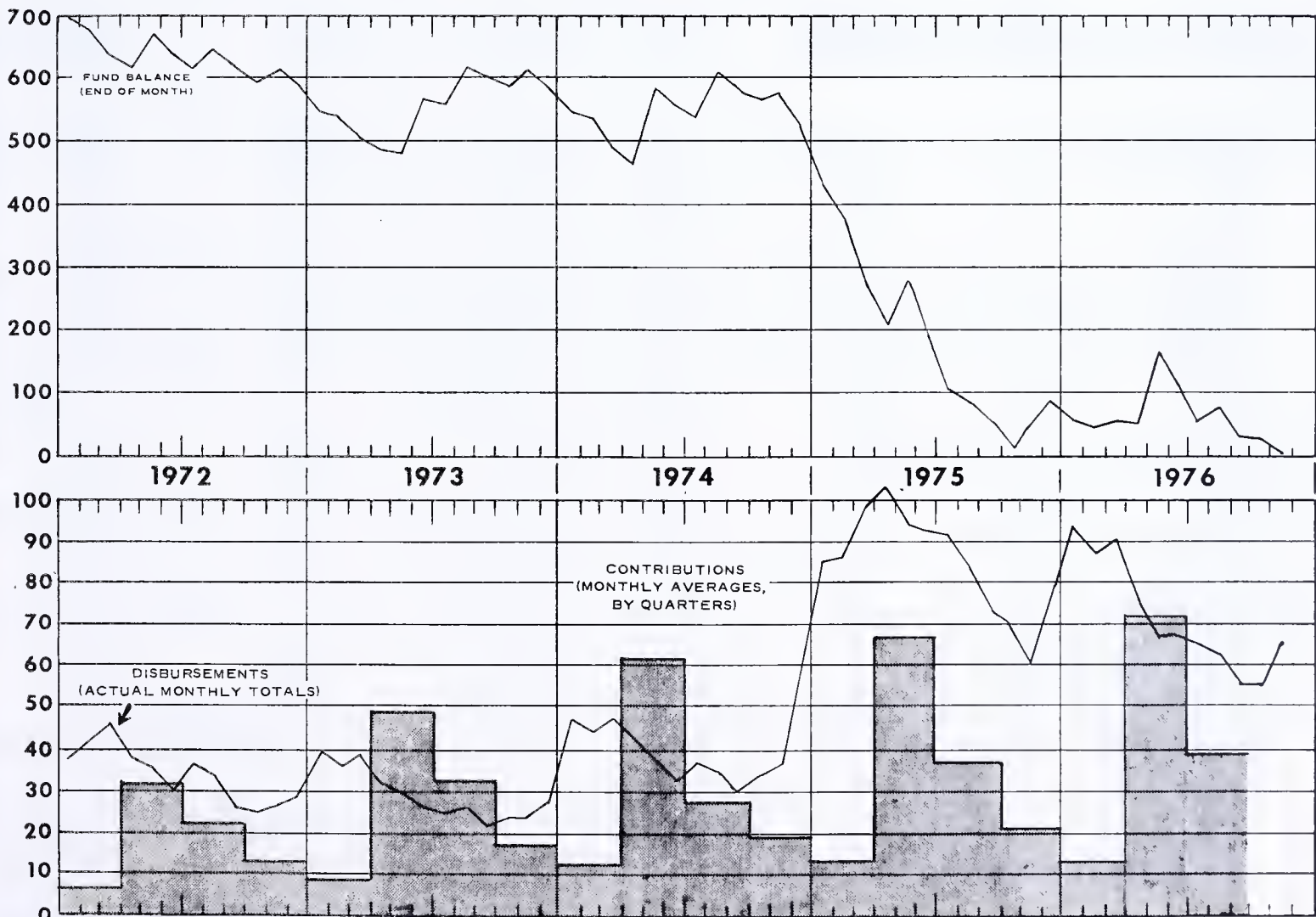
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,761,448 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	191,732 (as of 10-31-76)
Total Wages .....	\$38.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$464,734,825.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$400,894,472.d/ 12-month period July 1975-June 1976.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date		% Change
	November 1976	November 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	88,604	78,092	+13.5
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	429,856	381,948	+12.5
Disadvantaged	161,399	151,509	+ 6.5
Black	98,602	86,475	+14.0
Handicapped	36,771	27,429	+34.1
Veteran	87,958	71,631	+22.8
Handicapped Veteran	12,235	8,895	+37.5
Vietnam Era	47,048	41,233	+14.1
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	9,688	7,717	+25.5
Disadvantaged	4,354	4,222	+ 3.1
Black	2,028	1,567	+29.4
Handicapped	2,299	1,765	+30.3
Veteran	2,963	2,194	+35.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	3,855	3,376	+14.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	33,014	33,121	- 0.3
Nonagricultural	32,671	32,490	+ 0.6
Agricultural	343	631	-45.7
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	12,445	28,559	-56.4
Nonagricultural	12,375	28,329	-56.3
Agricultural	70	230	-69.6
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	26,744	18,608	+43.7
Nonagricultural	26,458	18,430	+43.6
Disadvantaged	7,510	4,027	+86.5
Black	6,184	2,855	+116.6
Handicapped	1,429	1,174	+21.7
Veteran	4,313	3,350	+28.7
Handicapped Veteran	568	440	+29.1
Vietnam Era	3,022	2,391	+26.4
Short-Time - Total	1,416	863	+64.1
Disadvantaged	299	183	+63.4
Black	442	210	+110.5
Agricultural	314	239	+31.4
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <sup>1/</sup></u>	29,470	24,642	+19.6
Nonagricultural	29,160	23,978	+21.6
Agricultural	310	664	-53.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	9,467	7,561	+25.2
Disadvantaged	3,621	2,670	+35.6
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	19,676	16,957	+16.0
To Major Employers	5,715	5,590	+ 2.2
Agricultural Employer Visits	643	542	+18.6
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	12,713	11,535	+10.2

<sup>1/</sup> Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	November 1976	October 1976	November 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$72,451,858	\$73,870,940	\$118,726,469	\$1,033,903,176	\$654,836,485	*
Contributions	44,526,858	15,570,940	38,133,469	436,490,139	397,769,260	+ 9.7
Interest	0	0	0	-11,215	17,814,926	*
Other	27,925,000	58,300,000	80,593,000	597,424,252	239,252,302	*
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	65,781,381	54,582,112	58,711,224	785,848,742	927,073,350	-15.2
Net Amount	65,354,183	54,325,068	58,634,441	782,545,894	925,697,734	-15.5
Total Unemployment	61,739,069	50,967,056	55,550,298	738,554,002	875,060,797	-15.6
Partial Unemployment	4,042,312	3,615,056	3,160,926	47,294,740	52,012,553	- 9.1
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,457,196	\$9,969,069	\$13,276,078	\$112,605,256	\$108,133,900	+ 4.1
Federal Supplementary Benefits	18,653,840	15,881,665	17,673,369	223,838,320	96,292,803	*
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	3,991,791	4,744,867	2,183,894	56,960,720	37,412,985	*
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-463,787,127 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-441,773,766 <sup>3/</sup>	\$45,452,908 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-463,787,127 <sup>3/</sup>	\$45,452,908 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	48,701	41,878	33,974	586,594	668,216	-12.2
EB	15,341	13,476	18,429	167,673	191,442	-12.4
FSB	12,528	12,359	18,291	129,716	107,352	+20.8
SUA	2,402	3,798	1,111	69,010	60,285	+14.8
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	788,175	665,975	733,031	9,635,155	12,240,643	-21.3
EB	129,538	123,507	163,583	1,394,655	1,437,270	- 3.0
FSB	226,998	195,888	231,993	2,782,274	1,323,179	*
SUA	62,402	78,654	38,466	1,003,219	794,305	+26.3
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	783,062	660,348	729,507	9,563,019	12,182,476	-21.5
Partial Unemployment	684,251	571,664	649,364	8,447,220	10,818,542	-21.9
Average Weekly Number	98,811	88,684	80,143	1,115,799	1,363,934	-18.2
	177,969	157,226	182,377	200,063	255,934	-21.8
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$84.01	\$82.66	\$80.48	\$82.18	\$76.10	+ 8.0
Partial Unemployment	90.23	89.16	85.55	87.43	80.89	+ 8.1
	40.91	40.76	39.44	42.39	38.13	+11.2
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	14,652	13,009	18,488	163,786	183,034	-10.5
EB	15,158	13,420	18,252	137,115	118,296	+15.9
FSB	5,861	5,621	3,481	76,526	18,533	*
SUA	461	599	288	5,145	1,036	*
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	155,136	131,218	122,951	1,462,643	1,631,838	-10.4
Additional	70,247	63,866	52,860	746,865	792,406	- 5.7
	84,889	67,352	70,091	715,778	839,432	-14.7
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	65,464	61,752	50,847	751,689	803,282	- 6.4
Ineligible	51,247	44,889	41,546	592,872	677,618	-12.5
	14,217	16,863	9,301	158,817	125,664	+26.4
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	890,519	759,421	821,833	10,469,364	13,234,339	-20.9
Applications	37,104	34,175	37,380	405,332	469,731	-13.7
Continued Claims	4,063	3,738	3,720	40,978	48,956	-16.3
	33,041	30,437	33,660	364,354	420,775	-13.4
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	52,847	44,218	42,658	516,978	447,294	+15.6
Continued Claims	6,655	4,889	5,203	56,586	55,426	+ 2.1
	46,192	39,329	37,455	460,392	391,868	+17.5
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	3,809	4,481	2,673	37,121	29,218	+27.0
	50	62	32	602	430	+40.0
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	191,732	192,353	NA	192,353	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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<sup>2/</sup> SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.

<sup>3/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$464,734,825.

<sup>4/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$63,840,353.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-NOVEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Coal Mining	6,354	39,146	16.2
Construction	25,767	181,692	14.2
Leather Products	2,931	20,834	14.1
Apparel Mfg.	18,941	137,071	13.8
Textile Products	5,085	51,353	9.9
Fab. Metal Prod.	8,473	114,145	7.4
Transp. Equip.	4,619	65,156	7.1
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,333	19,204	6.9
Amusement & Rec.	2,188	31,527	6.9
Furniture & Fixtures	1,174	18,400	6.4
Rubber & Plastics	2,034	34,141	6.0
Misc. Manufacturing	1,586	27,965	5.7

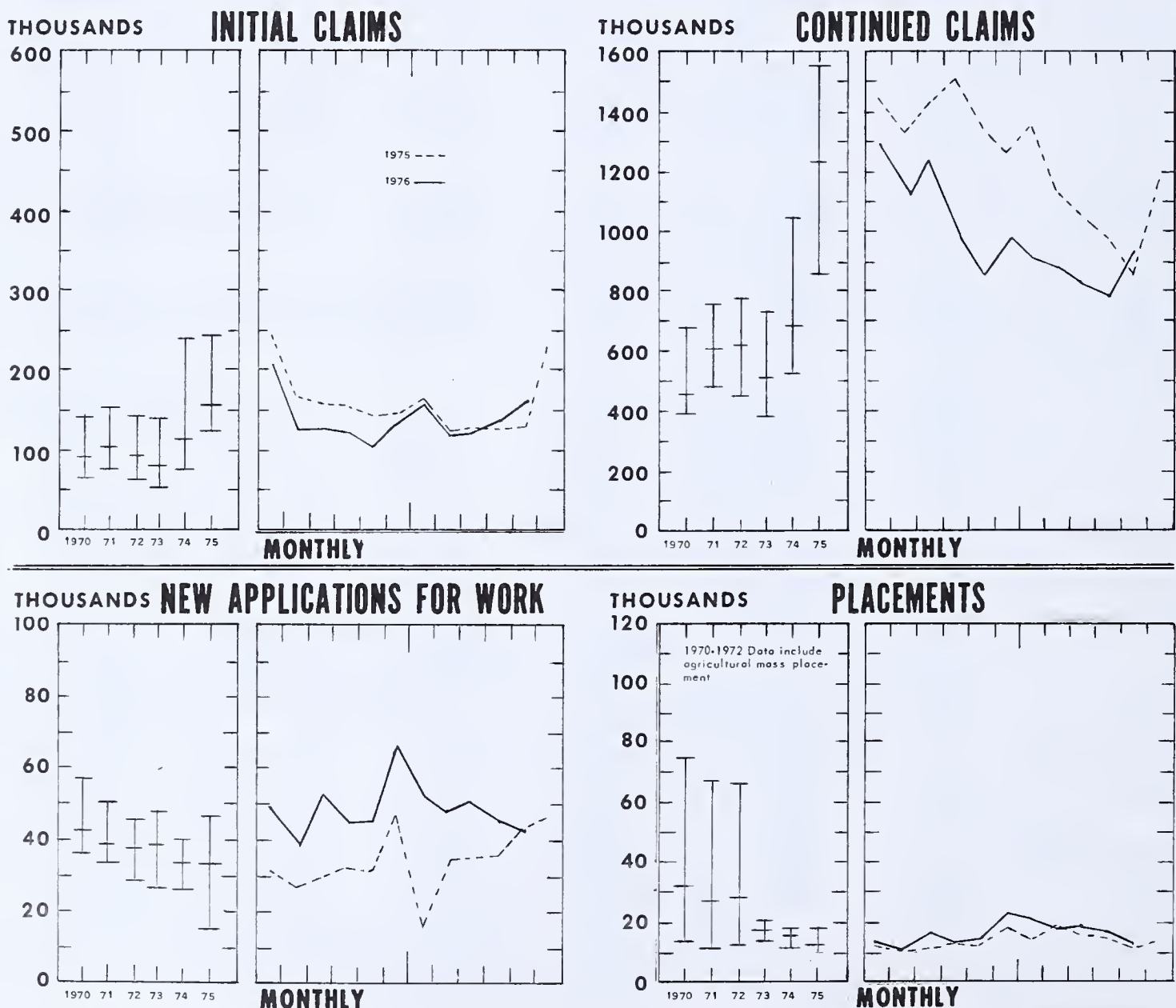
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	November 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,222,327	\$34,212,831
Gross Amount	3,332,317	34,563,727
Total Unemployment	3,250,291	33,588,061
Benefit Payments-Total No.	42,362	452,984
Weeks Compensated	41,580	446,206
Total Unemployment	39,963	426,101
Average Payment	\$80.14	\$77.46
First Payments	1,730	19,835
Final Payments	704	8,136
Initial Claims	2,436	27,351
Continued Claims	42,619	418,662
Benefit Appeals Received	105	1,002

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## BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

DECEMBER 1976

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1976

As of December 31, 1976

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,910,367,479	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,083,937
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,787,396 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,203,533,918 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,151,283
Total Receipts .....	\$8,613,319,115 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	512,730,365
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,517,030,521	No. UC Payments Made* .....	231,088,282
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,687	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,187,755
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$253,390,728	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,515,273
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$116,160,684		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-November 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,044,000
Total Employment .....	4,651,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,447,700
Total Unemployment .....	393,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	7.8

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,151.4 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,222.1 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$15.3 million (as of 12/31/76) <u>c/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.97% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.78% (last 12 mos.)

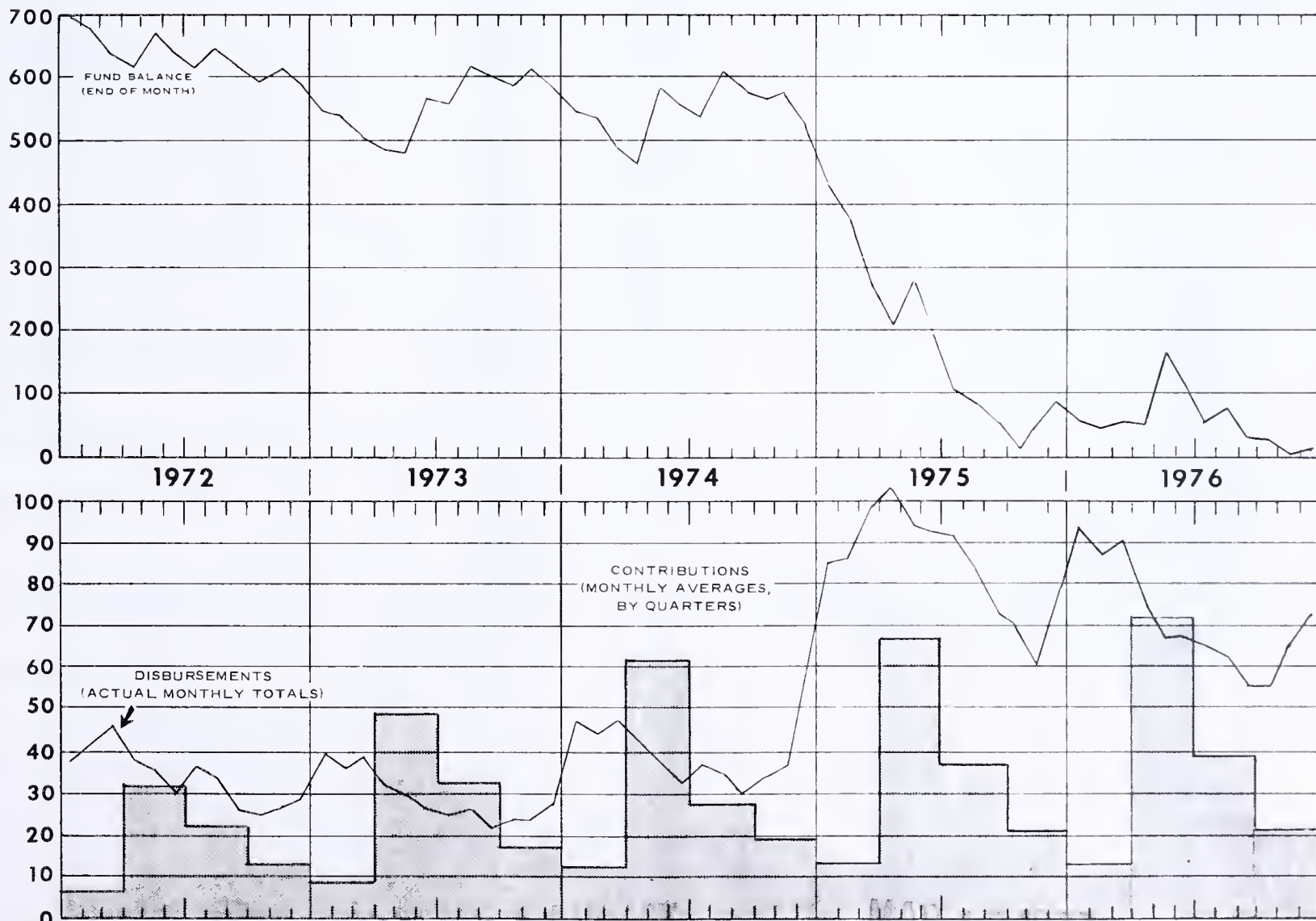
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,761,448 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	191,972 (as of 11/30/76)
Total Wages .....	38.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	14.8 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$552,997,491.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$464,734,825.d/ 12-month period July 1975-June 1976.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	December 1976	December 1975	
<u>New Applicants</u>	128,157	124,591	+ 2.9
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	477,919	429,320	+11.3
Disadvantaged	174,334	163,728	+ 6.5
Black	106,695	93,138	+14.6
Handicapped	40,686	30,935	+31.5
Veteran	97,572	81,735	+19.4
Handicapped Veteran	13,528	10,072	+34.3
Vietnam Era	52,370	46,817	+11.9
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	13,937	11,779	+18.3
Disadvantaged	6,288	6,383	- 1.5
Black	2,791	2,289	+21.9
Handicapped	3,335	2,657	+25.5
Veteran	4,466	3,542	+26.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	5,623	5,056	+11.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	48,122	48,032	+ 0.2
Nonagricultural	47,729	47,331	+ 0.8
Agricultural	393	701	-43.9
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	10,107	19,467	-48.1
Nonagricultural	10,069	19,345	-48.0
Agricultural	38	122	-68.9
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	37,909	28,903	+31.2
Nonagricultural	37,597	28,649	+31.2
Disadvantaged	10,621	6,554	+62.1
Black	8,951	4,835	+85.1
Handicapped	1,957	1,714	+14.2
Veteran	5,995	4,923	+21.8
Handicapped Veteran	792	642	+23.4
Vietnam Era	4,201	3,528	+19.1
Short Time - Total	1,870	1,382	+35.3
Disadvantaged	391	338	+15.7
Black	576	352	+63.6
Agricultural	351	340	+ 3.2
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	42,595	38,175	+11.6
Nonagricultural	42,246	37,392	+13.0
Agricultural	349	783	-55.4
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	13,344	11,286	+18.2
Disadvantaged	5,022	4,089	+22.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	28,151	24,516	+14.8
To Major Employers	8,380	7,871	+ 6.5
Agricultural Employer Visits	837	626	+33.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	19,530	18,360	+ 6.4

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	December 1976	November 1976	December 1975	Year to Date		% Change
				1976	1975	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$117,514,051	\$72,451,858	\$159,039,695	\$1,151,417,227	\$813,876,180	*
Contributions	3,726,385	44,526,858	2,777,719	440,216,524	400,546,977	+ 9.9
Interest	0	0	1,664,145	-11,215	19,479,071	*
Other	113,787,666	27,925,000	154,597,831	711,211,918	393,850,132	*
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$73,967,614	\$65,781,381	\$78,711,914	\$859,816,356	\$1,005,785,264	-14.5
Net Amount	73,510,838	65,354,183	78,055,862	856,056,732	1,003,753,596	-14.7
Total Unemployment	68,544,765	61,739,069	73,815,351	807,098,767	948,876,148	-14.9
Partial Unemployment	5,422,849	4,042,312	4,896,563	52,717,589	56,909,116	- 7.4
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,425,118	\$10,457,196	\$14,950,839	\$123,030,374	\$123,084,739	0.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	19,200,625	18,653,840	25,451,911	243,038,945	121,744,714	+99.6
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,070,558	3,991,791	2,866,706	61,031,278	40,279,691	+51.5
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-537,672,323 <sup>3/</sup>	\$463,787,127 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-87,804,192 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-537,672,323 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-87,804,192 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	63,594	48,701	53,687	650,188	721,903	- 9.9
EB	14,149	15,341	20,066	181,822	211,508	-14.0
FSB	12,045	12,528	19,721	141,761	127,073	+11.6
SUA	3,170	2,402	1,992	72,180	62,277	+15.9
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	887,766	788,175	987,574	10,522,921	13,228,217	-20.5
EB	123,454	129,538	183,598	1,518,109	1,620,867	- 6.3
FSB	232,101	226,998	325,542	3,014,375	1,648,721	*
SUA	64,516	62,402	51,435	1,067,735	845,740	+26.2
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>	881,953	783,062	982,574	10,444,972	13,165,050	-20.7
Total Unemployment	757,385	684,251	865,311	9,204,605	11,683,853	-21.2
Partial Unemployment	124,568	98,811	117,263	1,240,367	1,481,197	-16.3
Average Weekly Number	191,729	177,969	213,603	199,332	252,204	-21.0
<b>Average Payment</b>	\$83.87	\$84.01	\$80.11	\$82.32	\$76.40	+ 7.7
Total Unemployment	90.50	90.23	85.30	87.68	81.21	+ 8.0
Partial Unemployment	43.53	40.91	41.76	42.50	38.42	+10.6
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	13,608	14,652	19,205	177,394	202,239	-12.3
EB	12,004	15,158	18,580	149,119	136,876	+ 8.9
FSB	5,305	5,861	4,411	81,831	22,944	*
SUA	420	461	310	5,565	1,346	*
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>	233,106	155,136	225,305	1,695,749	1,857,143	- 8.7
New	114,543	70,247	111,941	861,408	904,347	- 4.7
Additional	118,563	84,889	113,364	834,341	952,796	-12.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>	101,534	65,464	97,848	853,223	901,130	- 5.3
Eligible	85,119	51,247	84,309	677,991	761,927	-11.0
Ineligible	16,415	14,217	13,539	175,232	139,203	+25.9
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>	1,037,139	890,519	1,133,114	11,506,503	14,367,453	-19.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>	39,690	37,104	48,142	445,022	517,873	-14.1
Applications	4,042	4,063	5,130	45,020	54,086	-16.8
Continued Claims	35,648	33,041	43,012	400,002	463,787	-13.8
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>	51,128	52,847	50,553	568,106	497,847	+14.1
Applications	5,723	6,655	5,495	62,309	60,921	+ 2.3
Continued Claims	45,405	46,192	45,058	505,797	436,926	+15.8
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	4,841	3,809	3,188	41,962	32,406	+29.5
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	70	50	53	672	483	+39.1
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	191,972	193,356	NA	193,356	*

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-DECEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	34,617	181,692	19.0
Apparel Mfg.	22,395	137,071	16.3
Coal Mining	5,655	39,146	14.5
Leather Products	2,845	20,834	13.7
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,024	19,204	10.5
Textile Products	5,381	51,353	10.5
Amusement & Rec.	2,521	31,527	8.0
Furniture & Fixtures	1,317	18,400	7.2
Transp. Equip.	4,591	65,156	7.1
Fab. Metal Prod.	7,396	114,145	6.5
Misc. Manufacturing	1,685	27,965	6.0
Hotels & Other Lod. Pl.	2,706	45,897	5.9

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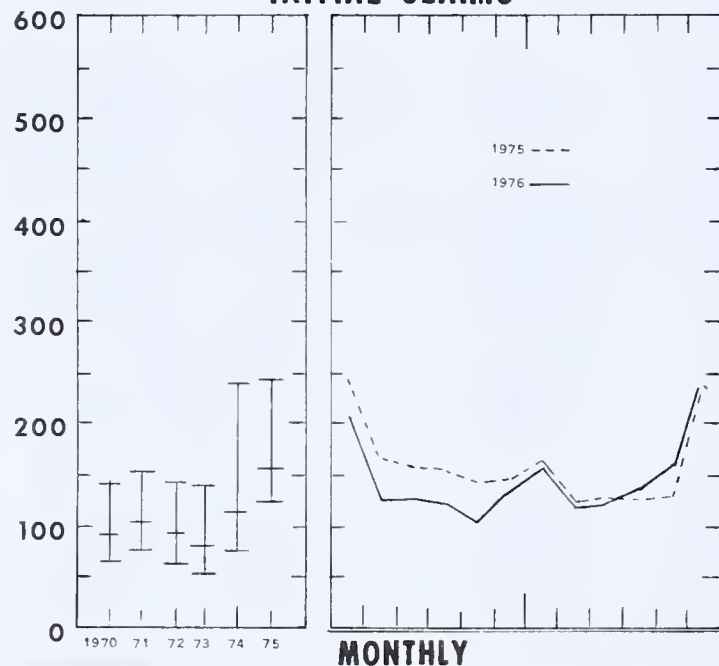
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Activity *	December 1976	1976 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,298,226	\$37,511,057
Gross Amount	3,365,300	37,929,027
Total Unemployment	3,277,707	36,865,768
Benefit Payments-Total No.	42,714	495,698
Weeks Compensated	42,172	488,378
Total Unemployment	40,468	466,569
Average Payment	\$79.80	\$77.66
First Payments	1,883	21,718
Final Payments	641	8,777
Initial Claims	2,396	29,747
Continued Claims	43,794	462,456
Benefit Appeals Received	110	1,112

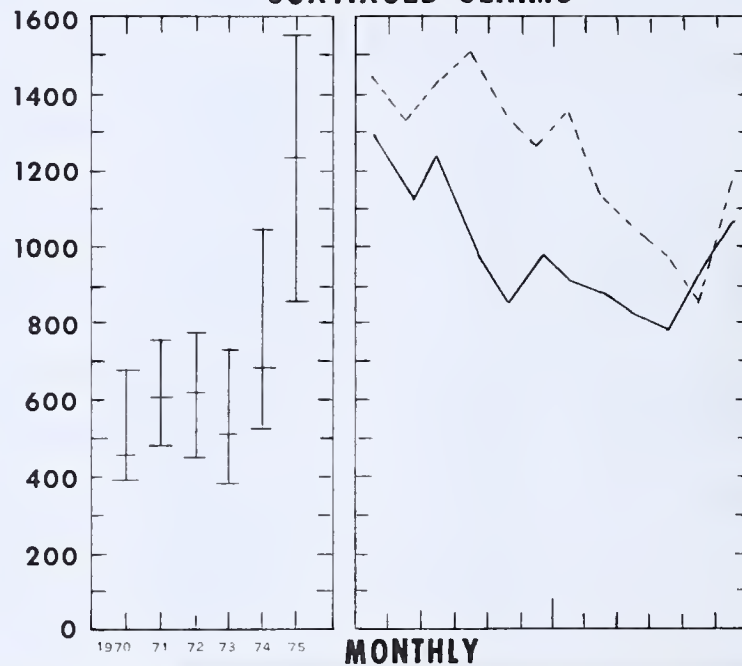
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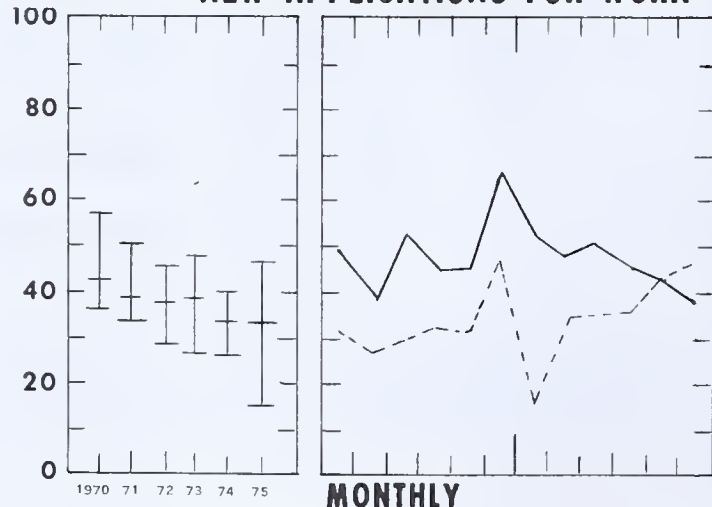
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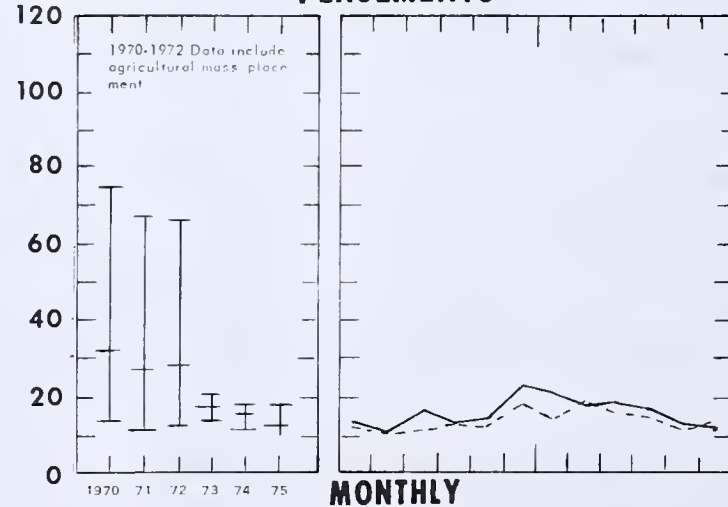
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As of January 31, 1977

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Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,799,785 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,321,833,918 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,213,731
Total Receipts .....	\$8,741,187,427 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	513,429,149
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,641,558,310	No. UC Payments Made* .....	232,550,756
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,226,959
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$256,551,989	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,542,503
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$118,093,946		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

### KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

#### Labor Force Statistics-December 12, 1976

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,022,200
Total Employment .....	4,621,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,425,300
Total Unemployment .....	401,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	8.0

#### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,182.3 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,215.9 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$18.7 million (as of 1/31/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.98% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.79% (last 12 mos.)

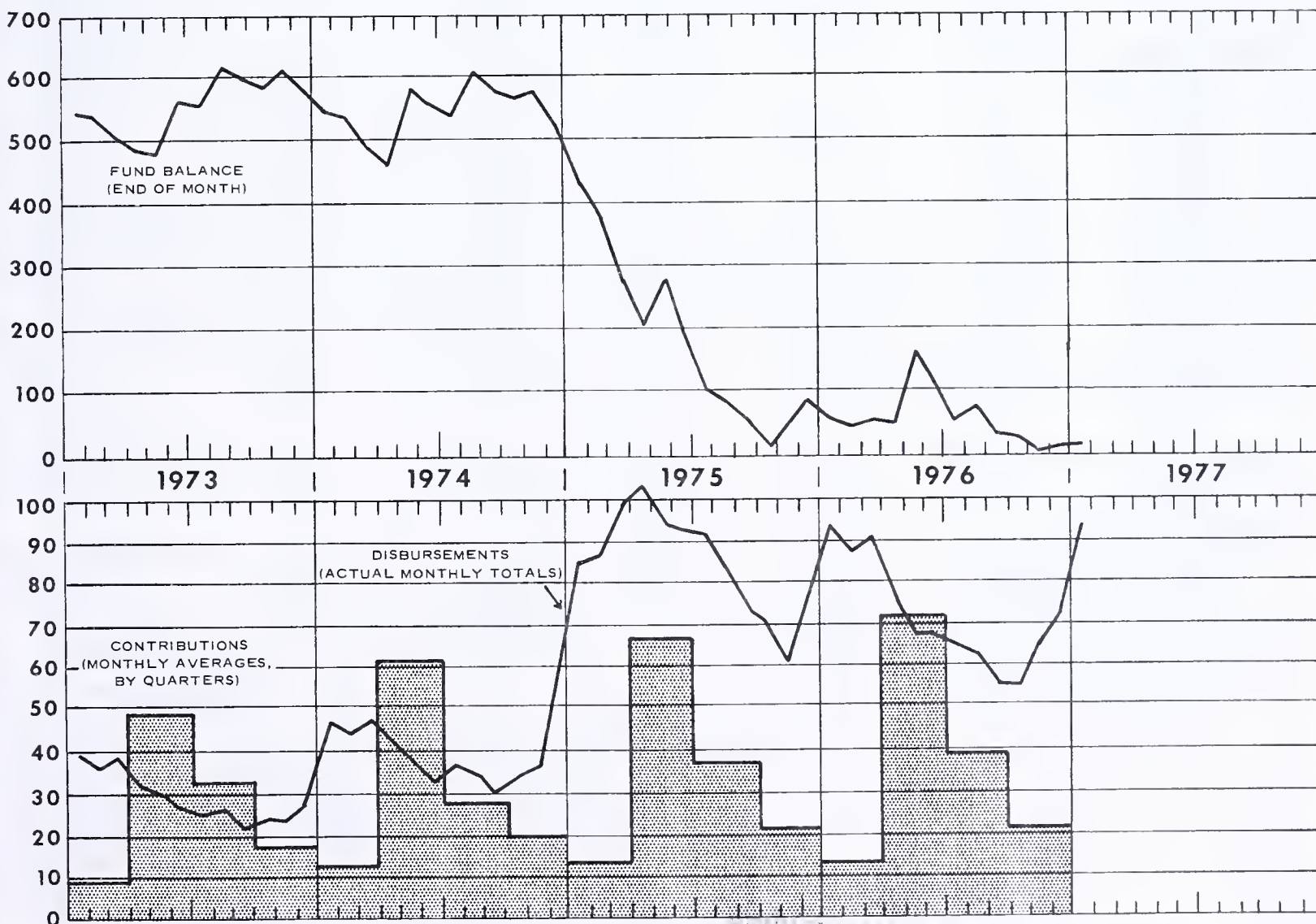
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Total Wages .....	\$38.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.8 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

- a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$642,997,491.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$408,741,941.  
d/ 12-month period July 1975-June 1976.

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### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date *		% Change
	January 1977	January 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	169,389	173,740	- 2.5
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	526,484	478,508	+10.0
Disadvantaged	186,583	176,903	+ 5.5
Black	114,379	101,394	+12.8
Handicapped	44,022	34,566	+27.4
Veteran	106,581	91,964	+15.9
Handicapped Veteran	14,607	11,289	+29.4
Vietnam Era	57,206	52,330	+ 9.3
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	18,111	15,920	+13.8
Disadvantaged	8,250	8,638	- 4.5
Black	3,613	3,092	+16.8
Handicapped	4,212	3,598	+17.1
Veteran	5,874	5,008	+17.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	7,543	6,927	+ 8.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	66,324	65,703	+ 0.9
Nonagricultural	65,867	64,833	+ 1.6
Agricultural	457	870	-47.5
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	9,107	17,671	-48.5
Nonagricultural	9,062	17,460	-48.1
Agricultural	45	211	-78.7
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	50,299	39,117	+28.6
Nonagricultural	49,959	38,835	+28.6
Disadvantaged	13,770	8,694	+58.4
Black	11,633	6,481	+79.5
Handicapped	2,555	2,275	+12.3
Veteran	7,759	6,459	+20.1
Handicapped Veteran	991	841	+17.8
Vietnam Era	5,399	4,565	+18.3
Short Time - Total	3,594	2,622	+37.1
Disadvantaged	568	500	+13.6
Black	750	494	+51.8
Agricultural	382	382	0.0
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	57,504	51,632	+11.4
Nonagricultural	57,122	50,803	+12.4
Agricultural	382	829	-53.9
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	17,762	15,200	+16.9
Disadvantaged	6,724	5,580	+20.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	36,633	32,687	+12.1
To Major Employers	11,508	10,226	+12.5
Agricultural Employer Visits	897	714	+25.6
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	26,989	25,725	+ 4.9

\* Fiscal year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	January	December	January	Year to Date		% Change
	1977	1976	1976	1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$127,868,312	\$117,514,051	\$96,961,765	\$127,868,312	\$96,961,765	+31.0
Contributions	9,568,312	3,726,385	8,244,399	9,568,312	8,244,399	+16.1
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	*
Other	118,300,000	113,787,666	88,717,366	118,300,000	88,717,366	+33.3
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$94,282,492	\$73,967,614	\$92,362,569	\$94,282,492	\$92,362,569	+ 2.1
Net Amount	93,855,268	73,510,838	92,158,316	93,855,268	92,158,316	+ 1.6
Total Unemployment	87,085,956	68,544,765	84,309,521	87,085,956	84,309,521	+ 3.3
Partial Unemployment	7,196,536	5,422,849	8,053,048	7,196,536	8,053,048	-10.6
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$10,233,790	\$10,425,118	\$12,753,515	\$10,233,790	\$12,753,515	-19.8
Federal Supplementary Benefits	20,438,731	19,200,625	25,851,563	20,438,731	25,851,563	-20.9
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,972,941	4,070,558	2,965,805	4,972,941	2,965,805	+67.7
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-624,331,799 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-537,672,323 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-182,023,187 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-624,331,799 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-182,023,187 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	122,313	63,594	98,822	122,313	98,822	+23.6
EB	13,622	14,149	17,870	13,622	17,870	-23.8
FSB	11,827	12,045	16,259	11,827	16,259	-27.3
SUA	4,166	3,170	2,581	4,166	2,581	+61.4
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	1,099,790	887,766	1,160,393	1,099,790	1,160,393	- 5.2
EB	119,345	123,454	156,098	119,345	156,098	-23.5
FSB	245,094	232,101	325,841	245,094	325,841	-24.8
SUA	85,132	64,516	49,179	85,132	49,179	+73.1
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	1,092,916	881,953	1,153,334	1,092,916	1,153,334	- 5.2
Partial Unemployment	952,289	757,385	981,930	952,289	981,930	- 3.0
Average Weekly Number	140,627	124,568	171,404	140,627	171,404	-18.0
	260,218	191,729	262,121	260,218	262,121	- 0.7
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$86.27	\$83.87	\$80.08	\$86.27	\$80.08	+ 7.7
Partial Unemployment	91.45	90.50	85.86	91.45	85.86	+ 6.5
	51.17	43.53	46.98	51.17	46.98	+ 8.9
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	12,943	13,608	18,246	12,943	18,246	-29.1
EB	12,256	12,004	17,093	12,256	17,093	-28.3
FSB	5,483	5,305	5,207	5,483	5,207	+ 5.3
SUA	397	420	274	397	274	+44.9
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	263,251	233,106	199,799	263,251	199,799	+31.8
Additional	156,005	114,543	125,669	156,005	125,669	+24.1
	107,246	118,563	74,130	107,246	74,130	+44.7
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	148,305	101,534	135,927	148,305	135,927	+ 9.1
Ineligible	117,758	85,119	112,027	117,758	112,027	+ 5.1
	30,547	16,415	23,900	30,547	23,900	+27.8
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	1,243,847	1,037,139	1,251,959	1,243,847	1,251,959	- 0.6
Applications	41,672	39,690	43,511	41,672	43,511	- 4.2
Continued Claims	4,744	4,042	4,222	4,744	4,222	+12.4
	36,928	35,648	39,289	36,928	39,289	- 6.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	48,001	51,128	55,970	48,001	55,970	-14.2
Continued Claims	6,680	5,723	6,501	6,680	6,501	+ 2.8
	41,321	45,405	49,469	41,321	49,465	-16.5
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	3,033	4,841	2,654	3,033	2,654	+14.3
	64	70	53	64	53	+20.8
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	192,788	190,779	NA	190,779	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-JANUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	54,263	181,692	29.9
Apparel Mfg.	27,948	137,071	20.4
Coal Mining	6,862	39,146	17.5
Leather Products	3,603	20,834	17.3
Lumber & Wood Prod.	3,100	19,204	16.1
Textile Products	7,344	51,353	14.3
Amusement & Rec.	3,418	31,527	10.8
Furniture & Fixtures	1,908	18,400	10.4
Transp. Equip.	6,041	65,156	9.3
Misc. Manufacturing	2,388	27,965	8.5
Fab. Metal Prod.	9,593	114,145	8.4
Truck. & Warehousing	5,534	68,474	8.1

\* Most recent 12-month average.

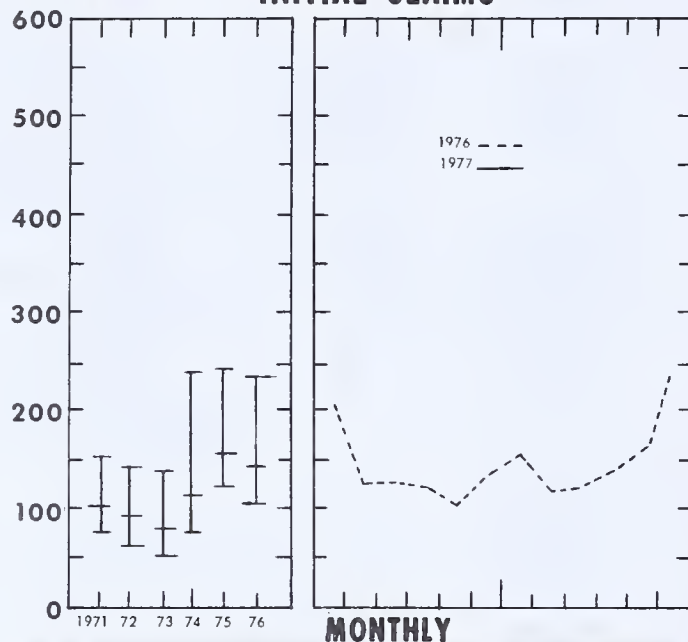
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	January 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,542,818	\$3,542,818
Gross Amount	3,584,824	3,584,824
Total Unemployment	3,495,967	3,495,967
Benefit Payments-Total No.	45,313	45,313
Weeks Compensated	44,838	44,838
Total Unemployment	43,166	43,166
Average Payment	\$79.95	\$79.95
First Payments	1,647	1,647
Final Payments	661	661
Initial Claims	2,649	2,649
Continued Claims	44,734	44,734
Benefit Appeals Received	75	75

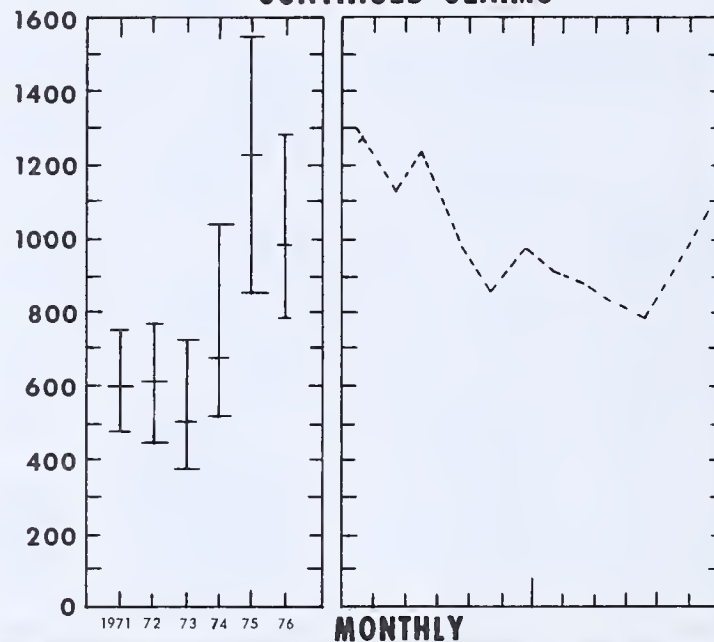
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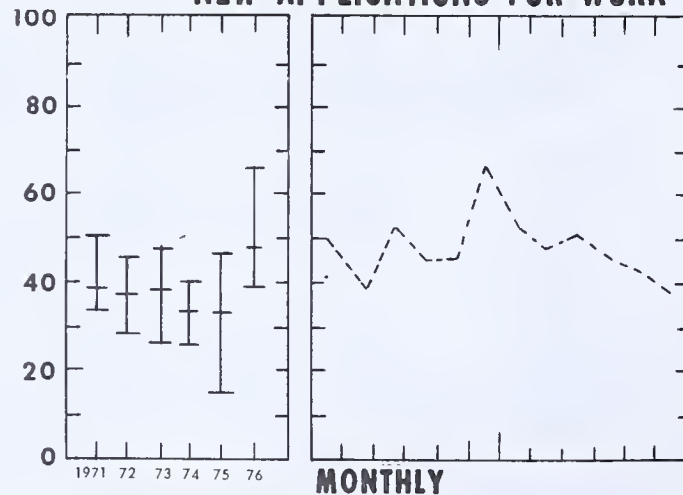
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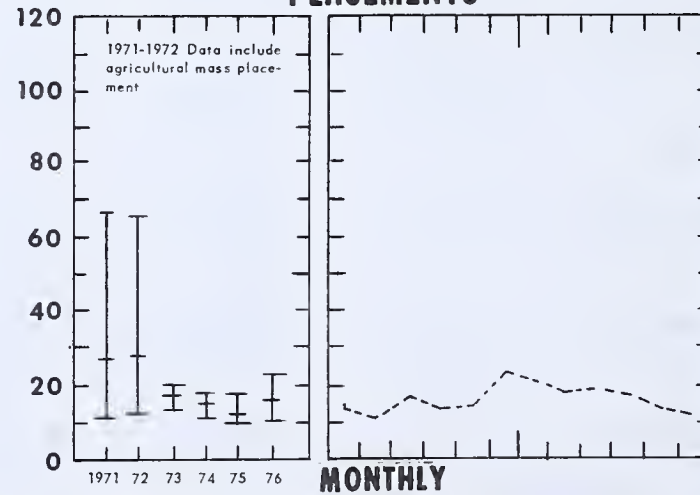
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BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

FEBRUARY 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of February 28, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,950,643,113	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,182,586
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,810,201 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,406,677,352 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,337,905
Total Receipts .....	\$8,856,738,182 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	515,492,121
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,772,953,630	No. UC Payments Made* .....	234,043,838
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,263,818
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$259,525,068	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,567,113
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$119,874,510		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits

### KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

#### Labor Force Statistics-January 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	4,983,600
Total Employment .....	4,528,600
Nonfarm Wages and Salary .....	4,340,000
Total Unemployment .....	455,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	9.1

#### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,178.5 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,224.7 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$2.8 million (as of 2/28/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.99% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.88% (last 12 mos.)

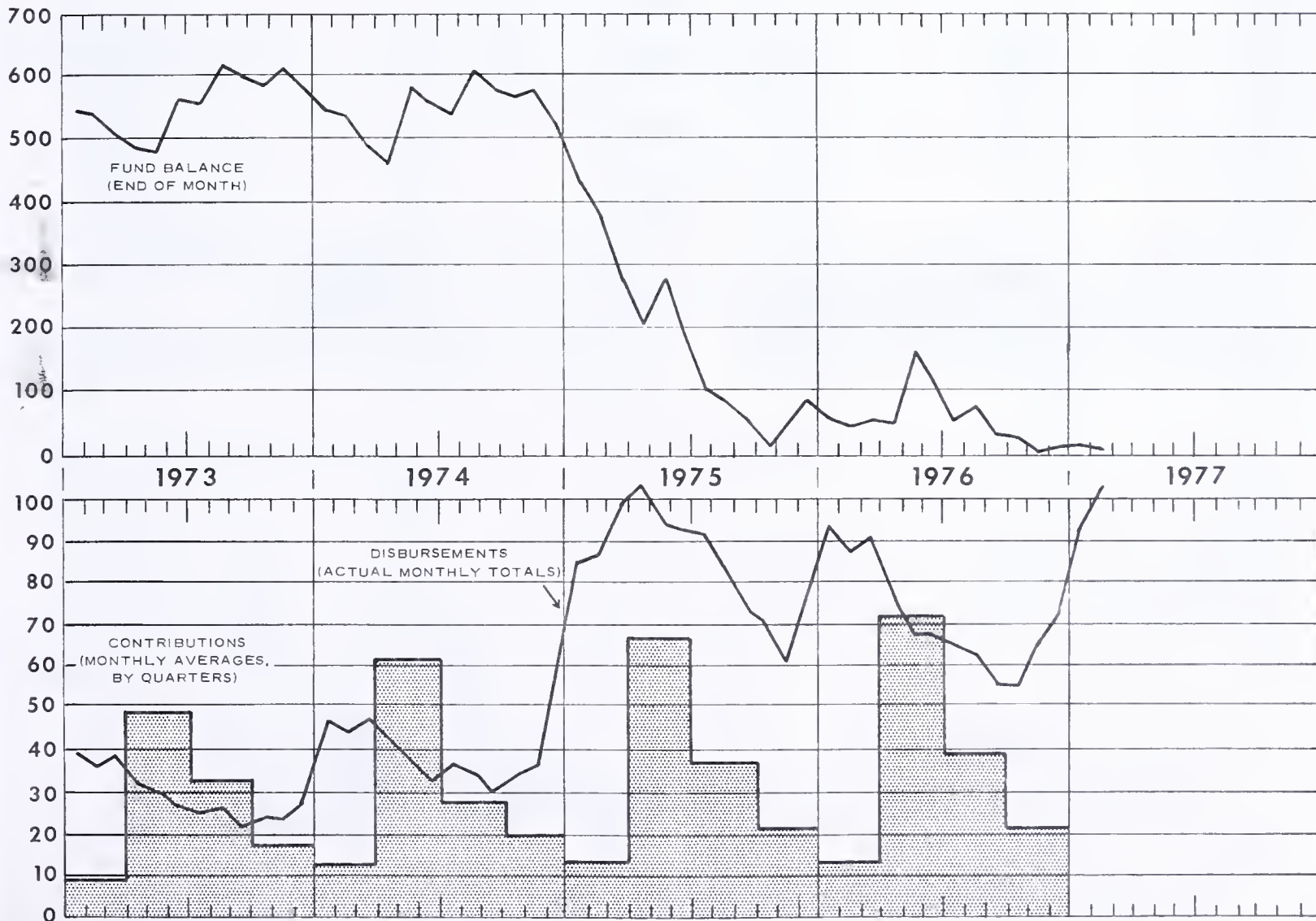
#### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,781,850 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	191,931 (as of 1/31/77)
Total Wages .....	\$39.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

- a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$702,445,925.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$414,445,965.  
d/ 12-month period October 1975-September 1976.

Millions of Dollars

### UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-FEBRUARY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	65,744	180,936	36.3
Coal Mining	8,484	38,991	21.8
Lumber & Wood Prod.	3,735	19,756	18.9
Apparel Mfg.	19,863	137,658	14.4
Leather Products	3,035	21,186	14.3
Furniture & Fixtures	2,335	18,416	12.7
Amusement & Rec.	3,860	31,889	12.1
Textile Products	6,139	51,308	12.0
Fab. Metal Prod.	12,724	114,827	11.1
Stone, Clay & Glass	6,659	61,810	10.8
Passenger Transit	1,850	18,148	10.2
Transp. Equipment	6,381	65,057	9.8

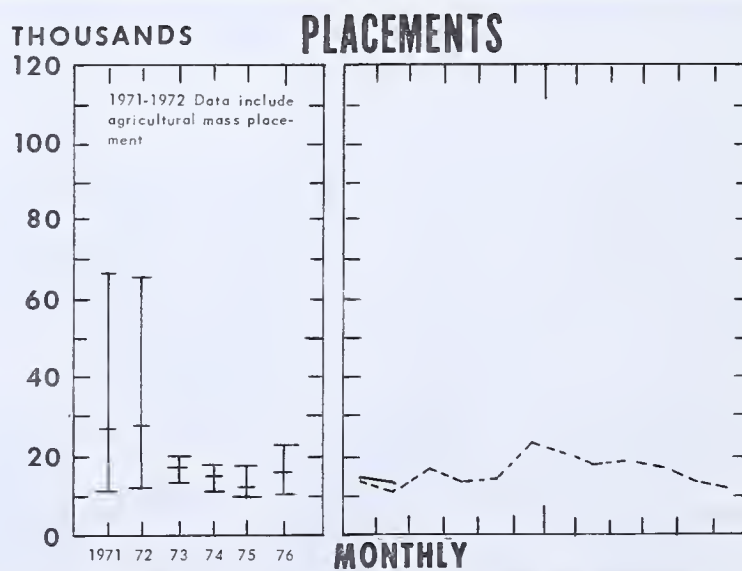
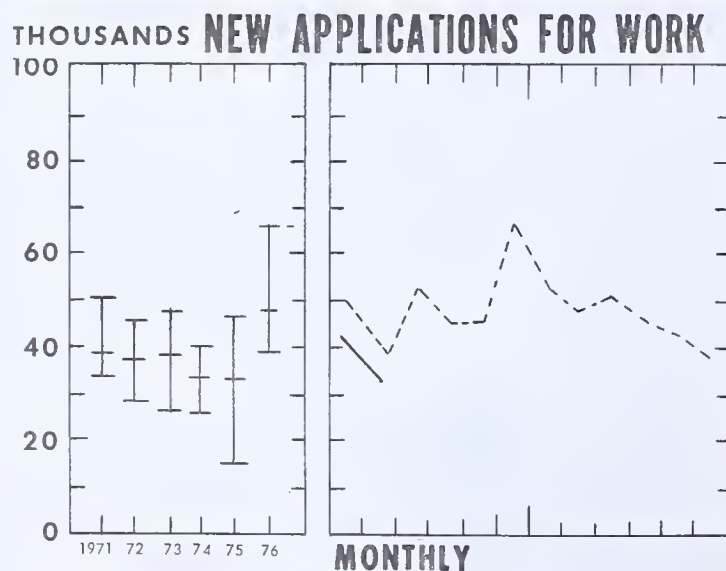
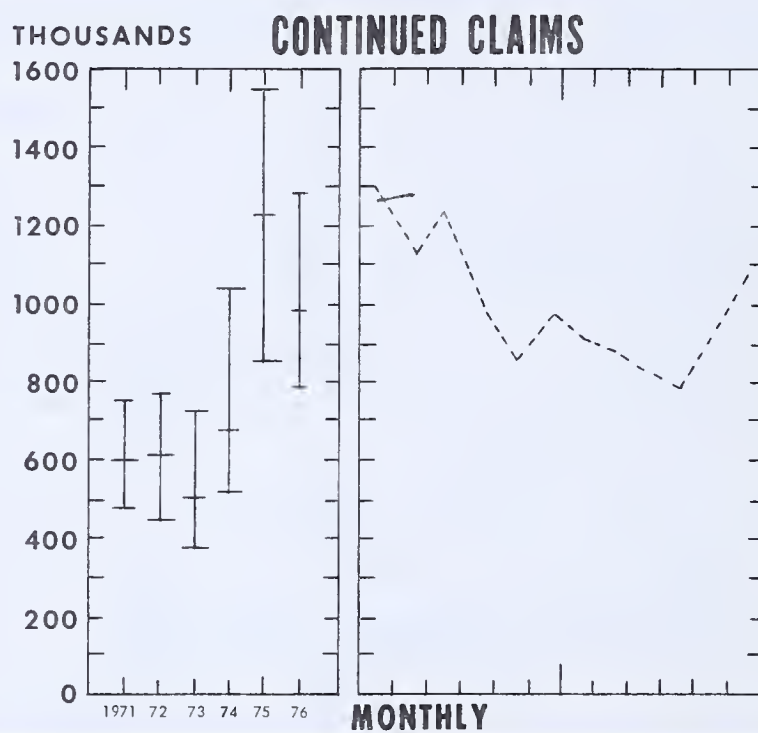
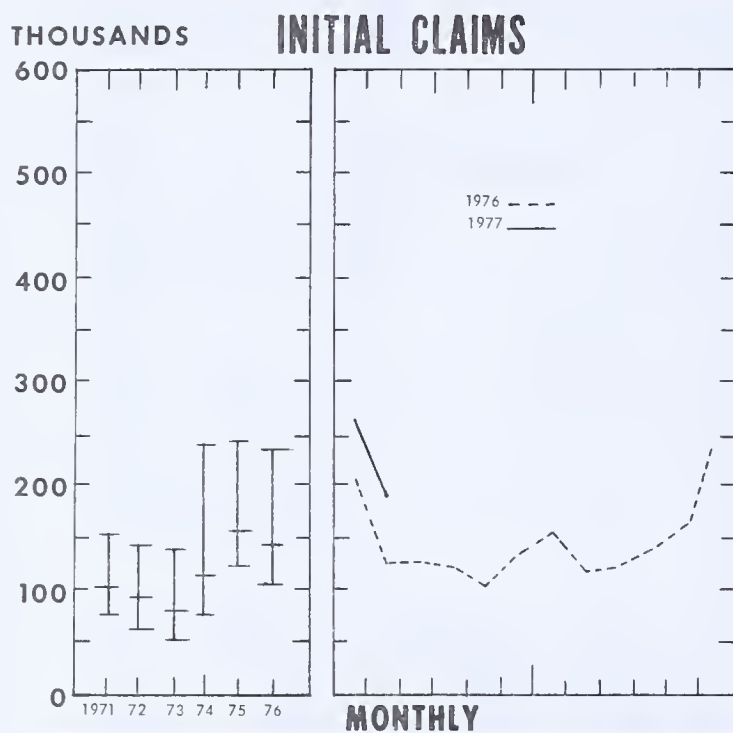
\* Most recent 12-month average.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	February 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,294,511	\$6,837,329
Gross Amount	3,327,812	6,912,636
Total Unemployment	3,209,195	6,705,162
Benefit Payments-Total No.	41,937	87,250
Weeks Compensated	41,294	86,132
Total Unemployment	39,053	82,219
Average Payment	\$80.59	\$80.26
First Payments	1,963	3,610
Final Payments	792	1,453
Initial Claims	2,270	4,919
Continued Claims	40,009	84,743
Benefit Appeals Received	87	162

\* Does not include Extended Benefits or Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1971 TO DATE



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	February 1977	February 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	202,522	212,802	- 4.8
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	564,450	517,429	+ 9.1
Disadvantaged	198,439	187,685	+ 5.7
Black	120,320	107,354	+12.1
Handicapped	46,905	37,609	+24.7
Veteran	113,772	100,191	+13.6
Handicapped Veteran	15,500	12,328	+25.7
Vietnam Era	61,234	56,804	+ 7.8
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	21,678	19,422	+11.6
Disadvantaged	9,915	10,458	- 5.2
Black	4,343	3,734	+16.3
Handicapped	4,962	4,354	+14.0
Veteran	7,062	6,181	+14.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	9,395	8,967	+ 4.8
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	83,040	78,465	+ 5.8
Nonagricultural	82,468	77,607	+ 6.3
Agricultural	572	858	-33.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	8,997	15,552	-42.1
Nonagricultural	8,935	15,438	-42.1
Agricultural	62	114	-45.6
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	60,712	46,895	+29.5
Nonagricultural	60,329	46,588	+29.5
Disadvantaged	16,435	10,500	+56.5
Black	12,880	7,581	+69.9
Handicapped	3,141	2,760	+13.8
Veteran	9,736	7,856	+23.9
Handicapped Veteran	1,247	1,025	+21.7
Vietnam Era	6,770	5,495	+23.2
Short Time-Total	4,850	3,676	+31.9
Disadvantaged	787	670	+17.5
Black	898	685	+31.1
Agricultural	442	429	+ 3.0
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	70,280	62,070	+13.2
Nonagricultural	69,830	61,192	+14.1
Agricultural	450	878	-48.7
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	21,450	18,505	+15.9
Disadvantaged	8,069	6,760	+19.4
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	44,867	40,729	+10.2
To Major Employers	14,239	12,829	+11.0
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,014	845	+20.0
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	34,153	32,505	+ 5.1

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	February 1977	January 1977	February 1976	Year to Date		% Cha
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$115,550,756	\$127,868,312	\$119,422,121	\$243,419,068	\$216,383,886	+1
Contributions	30,707,322	9,568,312	27,977,711	40,275,634	36,222,110	+1
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	
Other	84,843,434	118,300,000	91,444,410	203,143,434	180,161,776	+1
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$103,677,154	\$94,282,492	\$87,467,480	\$197,959,646	\$179,830,049	+1
Net Amount	103,379,132	93,855,268	87,076,495	197,234,400	179,234,811	+1
Total Unemployment	96,731,865	87,085,956	82,504,223	183,817,821	166,813,744	+1
Partial Unemployment	6,945,289	7,196,536	4,963,257	14,141,825	13,016,305	+
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,993,246	\$10,233,790	\$10,967,115	\$19,227,036	\$23,720,630	-1
Federal Supplementary Benefits	19,022,941	20,438,731	24,582,772	39,461,672	50,434,335	-2
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,980,375	4,972,941	2,876,553	9,953,316	5,842,358	+7
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-699,624,797 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-624,331,799 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-238,971,858 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-699,624,797 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-238,971,858 <sup>4/</sup>	
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	113,978	122,313	79,743	236,291	178,565	+3
EB	13,431	13,622	16,412	27,053	34,282	-2
FSB	10,087	11,827	12,977	21,914	29,236	-2
SUA	4,460	4,166	3,339	8,626	5,920	+4
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	1,163,782	1,099,790	1,056,135	2,263,572	2,216,528	+
EB	105,750	119,345	132,631	225,095	288,729	-2
FSB	226,276	245,094	306,129	471,370	631,970	-2
SUA	93,816	85,132	48,650	178,948	79,829	+12
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	1,153,546	1,092,916	1,046,410	2,246,462	2,199,744	+
Partial Unemployment	1,008,019	952,289	931,735	1,960,308	1,913,665	+
Average Weekly Number	145,527	140,627	114,675	286,154	286,079	+
	288,387	260,218	261,603	273,959	261,874	+
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$89.88	\$86.27	\$83.59	\$88.12	\$81.75	+
Partial Unemployment	95.96	91.45	88.55	93.77	87.17	+
	47.73	51.17	43.28	49.42	45.50	+
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	12,308	12,943	15,147	25,251	33,393	-2
EB	10,090	12,256	12,739	22,346	29,832	-2
FSB	5,136	5,483	5,655	10,619	10,862	-
SUA	331	397	224	728	498	+4
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	186,855	263,251	125,184	450,106	324,983	+3
Additional	104,143	156,005	70,069	260,148	195,738	+3
	82,712	107,246	55,115	189,958	129,245	+4
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	113,793	148,305	72,606	262,098	208,533	+2
Ineligible	95,766	117,758	59,018	213,524	171,045	+2
	18,027	30,547	13,588	48,574	37,488	+2
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
	1,245,209	1,243,847	1,078,657	2,489,056	2,330,616	+
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>						
Applications	39,389	41,672	39,609	81,061	83,120	-
Continued Claims	3,739	4,744	3,462	8,483	7,684	+1
	35,650	36,928	36,147	72,578	75,436	-
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	40,314	48,001	45,686	88,315	101,656	-1
Continued Claims	5,872	6,680	4,716	12,552	11,217	+1
	34,442	41,321	40,970	75,763	90,439	-1
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
	3,594	3,033	2,911	6,627	5,565	+1
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>						
	38	64	11	102	64	+5
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	191,931	190,627	NA	190,627	

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# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

MARCH 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of March 31, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$6,955,000,436	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,235,286
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,822,271 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,537,977,489 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,348,000
Total Receipts .....	\$8,992,395,642 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	516,866,163
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,899,727,664	No. UC Payments Made* .....	235,508,837
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,303,458
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$262,738,916	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,593,808
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$121,774,247		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-February 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,045,500
Total Employment .....	4,585,500
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,399,100
Total Unemployment .....	460,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	9.1

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,179.6 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,223.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$11.7 million (as of 3/31/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	2.99% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.92% (last 12 mos.)

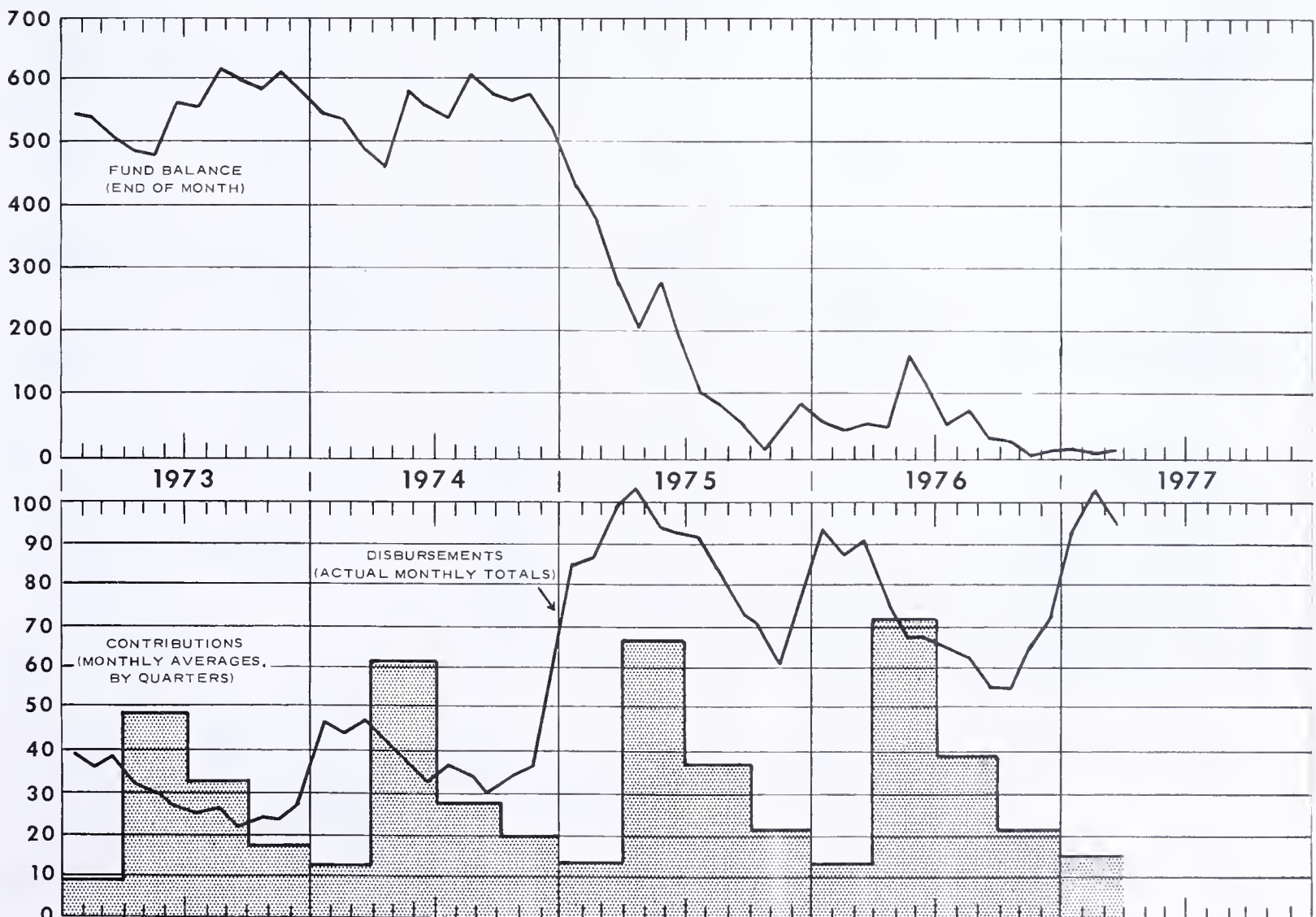
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,781,850 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	191,989 (as of 2/28/77)
Total Wages .....	\$39.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$800,995,925b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$417,597,973.d/ 12-month period October 1975-September 1976.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date <u>2/</u>		% Change
	March 1977	March 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	242,975	265,552	- 8.5
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	609,568	569,632	+ 7.0
Disadvantaged	213,047	202,989	+ 5.0
Black	127,592	116,071	+ 9.9
Handicapped	50,573	42,002	+20.4
Veteran	122,312	111,246	+ 9.9
Handicapped Veteran	16,621	13,716	+21.2
Vietnam Era	66,094	62,676	+ 5.5
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	26,403	24,356	+ 8.4
Disadvantaged	12,186	12,995	- 6.2
Black	5,225	4,781	+ 9.3
Handicapped	6,026	5,453	+10.5
Veteran	8,736	7,800	+12.0
<u>Persons Tested</u>	12,078	11,982	+ 0.8
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	106,007	102,143	+ 3.8
Nonagricultural	105,166	100,949	+ 4.2
Agricultural	841	1,194	-29.6
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	10,816	15,573	-30.5
Nonagricultural	10,703	15,374	-30.4
Agricultural	113	199	-43.2
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	72,782	59,777	+21.8
Nonagricultural	72,277	59,407	+21.7
Disadvantaged	19,861	13,773	+44.2
Black	14,730	9,318	+58.1
Handicapped	3,915	3,593	+ 9.0
Veteran	12,095	10,490	+15.3
Handicapped Veteran	1,522	1,344	+13.2
Vietnam Era	8,437	7,297	+15.6
Short-Time - Total	5,386	5,076	+ 6.1
Disadvantaged	924	886	+ 4.3
Black	1,023	872	+17.3
Agricultural	588	534	+10.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <u>1/</u></u>	85,721	79,937	+ 7.2
Nonagricultural	85,111	78,934	+ 7.8
Agricultural	610	1,003	-39.2
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	25,226	23,307	+ 8.2
Disadvantaged	9,597	8,555	+12.2
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	55,732	51,914	+ 7.4
To Major Employers	17,649	16,199	+ 9.0
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,420	1,139	+24.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	41,789	40,560	+ 3.0

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	March 1977	February 1977	March 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$135,657,459	\$115,550,756	\$134,553,739	\$379,076,527	\$350,937,625	+ 8.0
Contributions	4,357,323	30,707,322	3,555,747	44,632,957	39,777,857	+12.2
Interest	0	0	0	0	0	*
Other	131,300,136	84,843,434	130,997,992	334,443,570	311,159,768	+ 7.5
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$96,732,816	\$103,677,154	\$91,604,321	\$294,692,462	\$271,434,370	+ 8.6
Net Amount	96,025,453	103,379,132	90,663,330	293,259,853	269,898,141	+ 8.7
Total Unemployment	90,963,930	96,731,865	87,021,079	274,781,751	253,834,823	+ 8.3
Partial Unemployment	5,768,886	6,945,289	4,583,242	19,910,711	17,599,547	+13.1
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,675,008	\$8,993,246	\$10,999,113	\$28,902,044	\$34,719,743	-16.8
Federal Supplementary Benefits	21,073,574	19,022,941	26,460,778	60,535,246	76,895,113	-21.3
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,061,920	4,980,375	3,079,397	14,015,236	8,921,755	+57.1
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-789,291,373 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-699,624,797 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-327,939,332 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-789,291,373 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-327,939,332 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	53,986	113,978	56,716	290,277	235,281	+23.4
EB	13,073	13,431	15,874	40,126	50,156	-20.0
FSB	10,292	10,087	13,091	32,206	42,327	-23.9
SUA	3,366	4,460	2,693	11,992	8,613	+39.2
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	1,106,069	1,163,782	1,095,484	3,369,641	3,312,012	+ 1.7
EB	113,892	105,750	137,954	338,987	426,683	-20.6
FSB	248,297	226,276	328,719	719,667	960,689	-25.1
SUA	66,507	93,816	50,462	245,455	148,291	+65.5
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>	1,094,591	1,153,546	1,086,322	3,341,053	3,286,066	+ 1.7
Total Unemployment	965,935	1,008,019	977,955	2,926,243	2,891,620	+ 1.2
Partial Unemployment	128,656	145,527	108,367	414,810	394,446	+ 5.2
Average Weekly Number	237,955	288,387	236,157	261,020	252,774	+ 3.3
<u>Average Payment</u>	\$88.37	\$89.88	\$84.33	\$88.20	\$82.60	+ 6.8
Total Unemployment	94.17	95.96	88.98	93.90	87.78	+ 7.0
Partial Unemployment	44.84	47.73	42.29	48.00	44.62	+ 7.6
<u>Final Payment</u>						
UC	12,054	12,308	14,854	37,305	48,247	-22.7
EB	10,476	10,090	13,261	32,822	43,093	-23.8
FSB	6,626	5,136	6,869	17,245	17,731	- 2.7
SUA	947	331	802	1,675	1,300	+28.8
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>	120,991	186,855	124,912	571,097	449,895	+26.9
New	57,913	104,143	60,887	318,061	256,625	+23.9
Additional	63,078	82,712	64,025	253,036	193,270	+30.9
<u>Financial Determinations</u>	61,190	113,793	58,140	323,288	266,673	+21.2
Eligible	50,624	95,766	46,972	264,148	218,017	+21.2
Ineligible	10,566	18,027	11,168	59,140	48,656	+21.5
<u>Claims - Intrastate - Continued</u>	1,181,086	1,245,209	1,199,075	3,670,142	3,529,691	+ 4.0
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>	38,842	39,389	42,009	119,903	125,129	- 4.2
Applications	3,000	3,739	3,781	11,483	11,465	+ 0.2
Continued Claims	35,842	35,650	38,228	108,420	113,664	- 4.6
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>	39,637	40,314	54,306	127,952	155,962	-18.0
Applications	5,011	5,872	5,256	17,563	16,473	+ 6.6
Continued Claims	34,626	34,442	49,050	110,389	139,489	-20.9
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>	4,669	3,594	3,392	11,296	8,957	+26.1
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>	65	38	69	167	133	+25.6
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>	NA	191,989	191,278	NA	191,278	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MARCH

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	53,476	180,936	29.6
Lumber & Wood Prod.	2,675	19,756	13.5
Leather Products	2,801	21,186	13.2
Coal Mining	4,941	38,991	12.7
Apparel Mfg.	17,288	137,658	12.6
Amusement & Rec.	3,520	31,889	11.0
Textile Products	5,201	51,308	10.1
Furniture & Fixtures	1,765	18,416	9.6
Trans. Equip.	5,141	65,057	7.9
Hotels & Other Lod. Pl.	3,587	46,603	7.7
Fab. Metal Prod.	8,674	114,827	7.6
Rubber & Plastics	2,543	34,193	7.4

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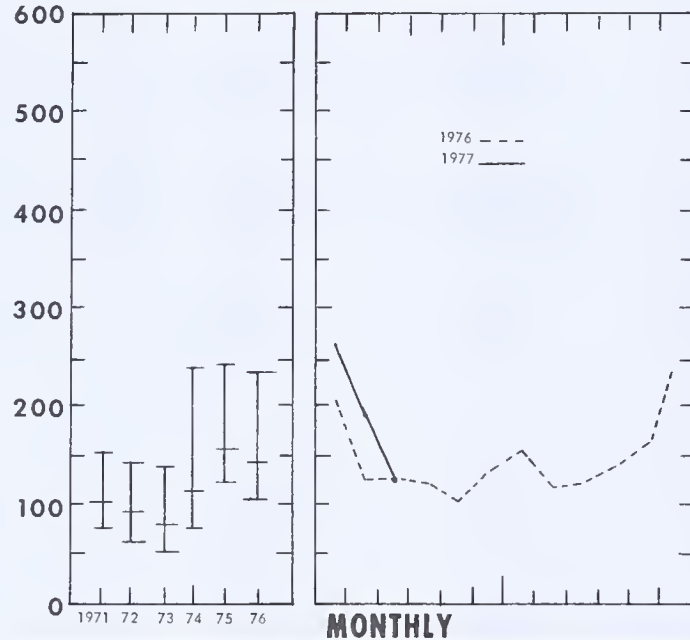
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	March 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$3,434,797	\$10,272,126
Gross Amount	3,462,264	10,374,900
Total Unemployment	3,354,959	10,060,121
Benefit Payments-Total No.	43,958	131,208
Weeks Compensated	43,094	129,226
Total Unemployment	40,975	123,194
Average Payment	\$80.34	\$80.28
First Payments	1,537	5,147
Final Payments	829	2,282
Initial Claims	1,899	6,818
Continued Claims	44,696	129,439
Benefit Appeals Received	115	277

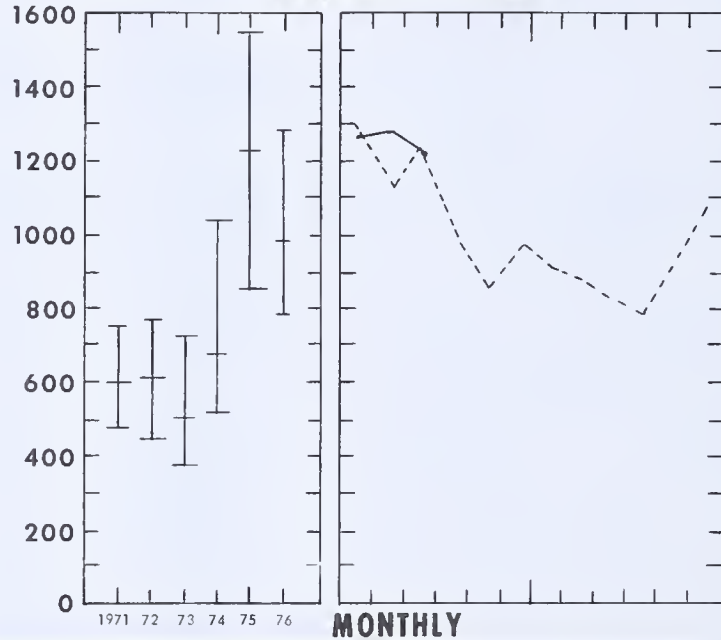
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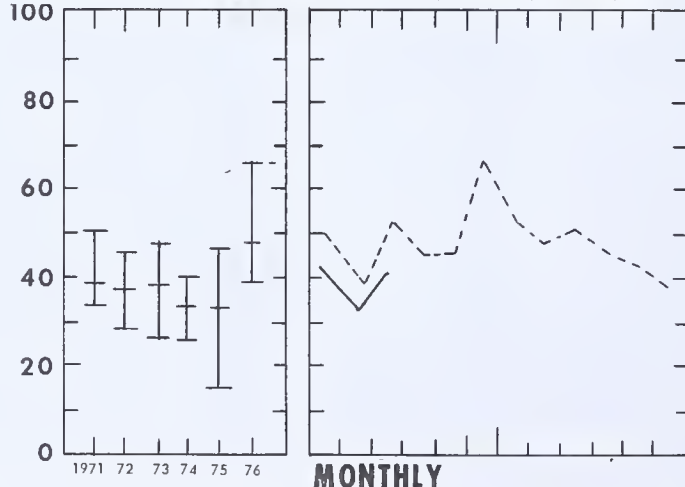
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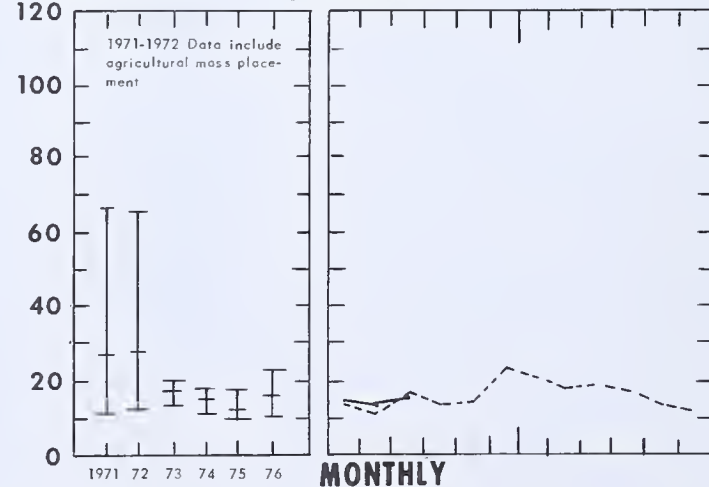
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HARRISBURG, PA

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APRIL 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of April 30, 1977

Employers Contributions .....	\$7,004,705,449	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,275,742
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,832,013 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,604,302,489	Employer Reports Received .....	29,407,340
Total Receipts .....	\$9,108,425,655	Wage Records Received .....	517,670,955
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$8,994,111,869	No. UC Payments Made* .....	236,611,464
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,335,014
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$265,309,678	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,615,086
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$123,253,819		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-March 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,060,200
Total Employment .....	4,660,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,457,900
Total Unemployment .....	400,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	7.9

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,193.8 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,211.5 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$33.4 million (as of 4/30/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	3.14% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.91% (last 12 mos.)

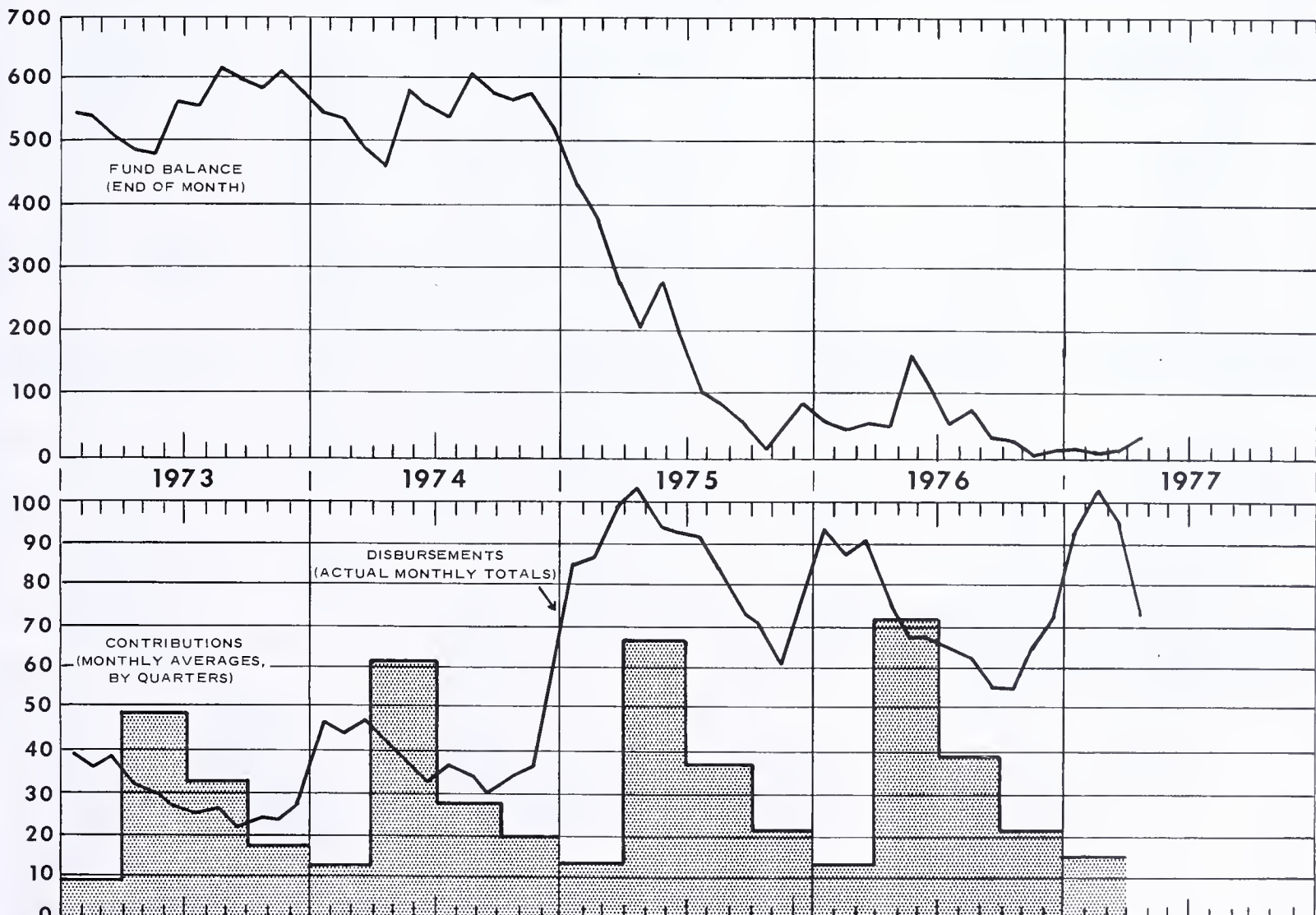
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,781,850 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	192,376 (as of 3/31/77)
Total Wages .....	\$39.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$847,295,925.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$417,561,100.d/ 12-month period October 1975-September 1976.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	April 1977	April 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	275,613	309,777	-11.0
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	644,916	613,021	+ 5.2
Disadvantaged	224,224	214,558	+ 4.5
Black	133,214	123,667	+ 7.7
Handicapped	53,476	45,653	+17.1
Veteran	128,832	120,032	+ 7.3
Handicapped Veteran	17,571	14,885	+18.0
Vietnam Era	69,584	67,091	+ 3.7
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	29,689	28,187	+ 5.3
Disadvantaged	13,742	14,992	- 8.3
Black	5,929	5,580	+ 6.3
Handicapped	6,762	6,303	+ 7.3
Veteran	9,772	9,043	+ 8.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	14,445	14,333	+ 0.8
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	125,254	121,847	+ 2.8
Nonagricultural	124,131	120,452	+ 3.1
Agricultural	1,123	1,395	-19.5
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	13,510	16,681	-19.0
Nonagricultural	13,366	16,507	-19.0
Agricultural	144	174	-17.2
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	82,524	69,281	+19.1
Nonagricultural	81,882	68,761	+19.1
Disadvantaged	22,628	16,031	+41.2
Black	16,056	10,489	+53.1
Handicapped	4,659	4,239	+ 9.9
Veteran	14,277	12,473	+14.5
Handicapped Veteran	1,847	1,606	+15.0
Vietnam Era	9,905	8,606	+15.1
Short Time - Total	5,818	6,692	-13.1
Disadvantaged	1,038	1,068	- 2.8
Black	1,108	1,013	+ 9.4
Agricultural	774	729	+ 6.2
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	98,242	93,516	+ 5.1
Nonagricultural	97,432	92,265	+ 5.6
Agricultural	810	1,251	-35.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	27,460	27,268	+ 0.7
Disadvantaged	10,535	10,158	+ 3.7
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	64,865	61,900	+ 4.8
To Major Employers	20,472	19,086	+ 7.3
Agricultural Employer Visits	1,955	1,581	+23.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	47,902	47,569	+ 0.7

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	April 1977	March 1977	April 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$116,030,013	\$135,657,459	\$101,741,660	\$495,106,540	\$452,679,285	+ 9.4
Contributions	49,705,013	4,357,323	28,016,002	94,337,970	67,793,859	+39.2
Interest	0	0	-11,215	0	-11,215	*
Other	66,325,000	131,300,136	73,736,813	400,768,570	384,896,641	+ 4.1
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$73,459,361	\$96,732,816	\$74,203,112	\$368,151,823	\$345,637,482	+ 6.5
Net Amount	72,767,316	96,025,453	74,177,696	366,027,169	344,075,837	+ 6.4
Total Unemployment	68,666,287	90,963,930	70,538,927	343,448,038	324,373,750	+ 5.9
Partial Unemployment	4,793,074	5,768,886	3,664,185	24,703,785	21,263,732	+16.2
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$7,777,961	\$9,675,008	\$9,253,655	\$36,680,005	\$43,973,398	-16.6
Federal Supplementary Benefits	13,838,928	21,073,574	22,751,091	74,374,174	99,646,204	-25.4
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,934,984	4,061,920	2,557,235	16,950,220	11,478,990	+47.7
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$813,945,565 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-789,291,373 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-378,715,124 <sup>4/</sup>	\$813,945,565 <sup>3/</sup>	\$378,715,124 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	39,267	53,986	41,553	329,544	276,834	+19.0
EB	10,446	13,073	13,447	50,572	63,603	-20.5
FSB	8,485	10,292	11,630	40,691	53,957	-24.6
SUA	1,538	3,366	2,006	13,530	10,619	+27.4
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	851,397	1,106,069	892,008	4,221,038	4,204,020	+ 0.4
EB	93,258	113,892	114,325	432,245	541,008	-20.1
FSB	161,414	248,297	282,057	881,081	1,242,746	-29.1
SUA	45,760	66,507	40,629	291,215	188,920	+54.1
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	845,144	1,094,591	885,638	4,186,197	4,171,704	+ 0.3
Partial Unemployment	741,955	965,935	798,767	3,668,198	3,690,387	- 0.6
Average Weekly Number	103,189	128,656	86,871	517,999	481,317	+ 7.6
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$86.92	\$88.37	\$83.78	\$87.94	\$82.85	+ 6.1
Partial Unemployment	92.55	94.17	88.31	93.63	87.90	+ 6.5
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	10,874	12,054	13,370	48,179	61,617	-21.8
EB	9,677	10,476	11,927	42,499	55,020	-22.8
FSB	4,295	6,626	10,687	21,540	28,418	-24.2
SUA	987	947	713	2,662	2,013	+32.2
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	110,737	120,991	117,104	681,834	566,999	+20.3
Additional	52,368	57,913	61,606	370,429	318,231	+16.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	58,369	63,078	55,498	311,405	248,768	+25.2
Ineligible	50,967	61,190	62,478	374,255	329,151	+13.7
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	37,497	50,624	44,684	301,645	262,701	+14.8
Applications	13,470	10,566	17,794	72,610	66,450	+ 9.3
Continued Claims	883,368	1,181,086	956,094	4,553,510	4,485,785	+ 1.5
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liabe</b>						
Applications	30,180	38,842	35,988	150,083	161,117	- 6.8
Continued Claims	2,476	3,000	3,205	13,959	14,670	- 4.8
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	27,704	35,842	32,783	136,124	146,447	- 7.0
Number Liabe Employers	34,970	39,637	46,560	162,922	202,522	-19.6
	4,406	5,011	4,364	21,969	20,837	+ 5.4
	30,564	34,626	42,196	140,953	181,685	-22.4
	3,592	4,669	3,186	14,888	12,143	+22.6
	61	65	64	228	197	+15.7
	NA	192,376	190,249	NA	190,249	--

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RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO  
COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-APRIL

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	38,315	180,936	21.2
Apparel Mfg.	16,604	137,658	12.1
Leather Products	2,542	21,186	12.0
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,806	19,756	9.1
Textile Products	4,567	51,308	8.9
Amusement & Rec.	2,663	31,889	8.4
Furniture & Fixtures	1,478	18,416	8.0
Coal Mining	2,928	38,991	7.5
Transp. Equip.	4,557	65,057	7.0
Hotels & Other Lod. Pl.	3,232	46,603	6.9
Food Products	6,984	100,999	6.9
Retail Apparel	3,100	46,330	6.7

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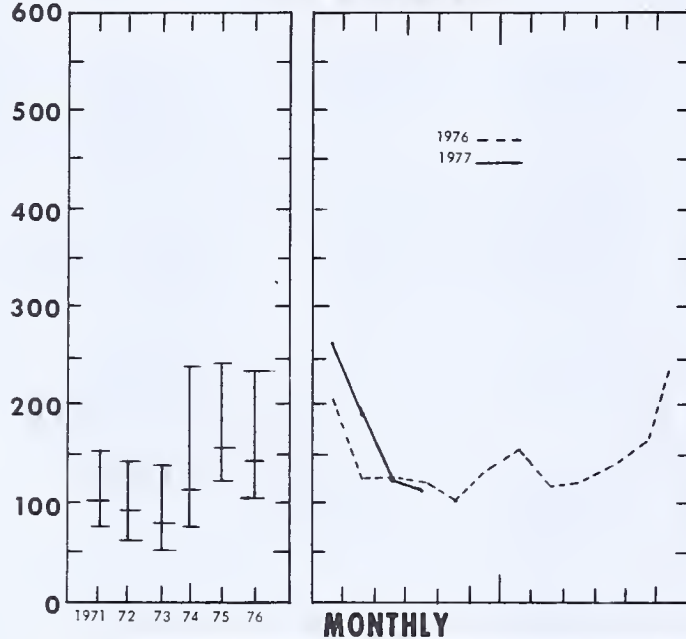
UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR  
FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	April 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,790,809	\$13,062,935
Gross Amount	2,824,840	13,199,740
Total Unemployment	2,733,681	12,793,802
Benefit Payments-Total No.	36,000	167,208
Weeks Compensated	35,348	164,574
Total Unemployment	33,571	156,765
Average Payment	\$79.92	\$80.21
First Payments	1,134	6,281
Final Payments	794	3,076
Initial Claims	1,914	8,732
Continued Claims	34,125	163,564
Benefit Appeals Received	81	358

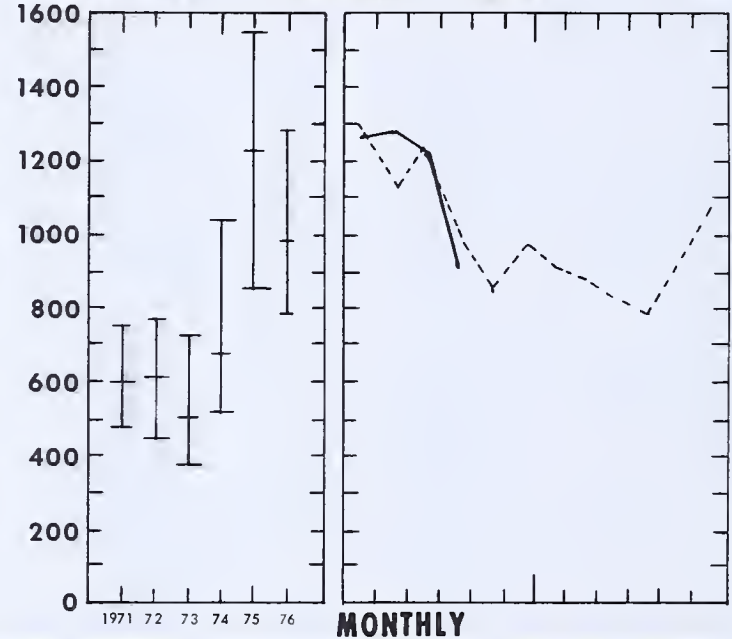
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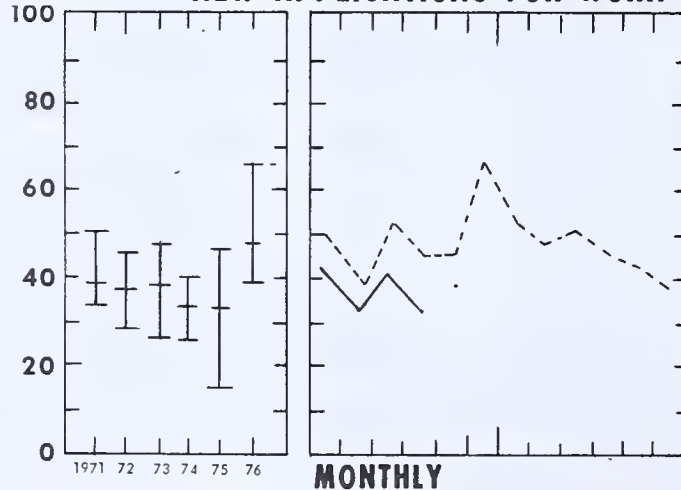
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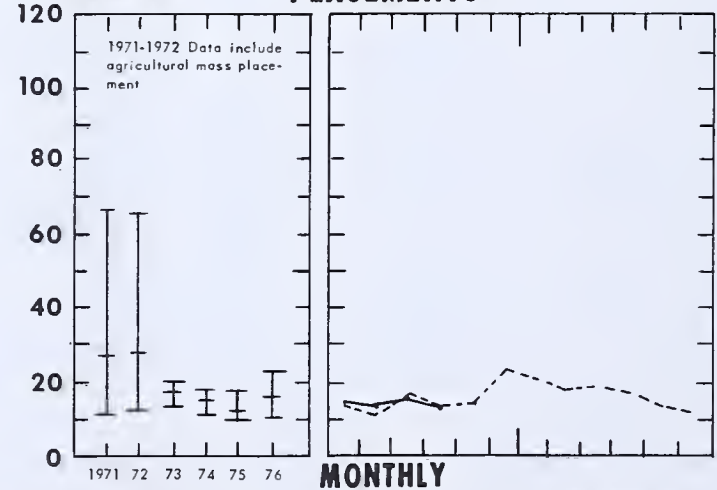
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## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of May 31, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,192,319,618
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717
Other Receipts .....	\$1,621,502,489 <sup>a/</sup>
Total Receipts .....	\$9,313,239,824 <sup>a/</sup>
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,075,553,451
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$267,662,540
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$124,606,676

Applications for Work Taken .....	21,322,592
Job Placements Made .....	14,842,941 <sup>b/</sup>
Employer Reports Received .....	29,533,454
Wage Records Received .....	520,128,902
No. UC Payments Made* .....	237,572,776
No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,363,638
No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,634,462

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-April 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force....	5,070,700
Total Employment .....	4,721,700
Nonfarm Wage and Salary....	4,512,500
Total Unemployment .....	349,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force	6.9

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts.....	\$1,184.4 million (last 12 mos.) <sup>c/</sup>
UC Disbursements	\$1,197.0 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance.....	\$156.7 million (as of 5/31/77) <sup>a/</sup>
Contribution Rate .....	3.16% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.87% (last 12 mos.)

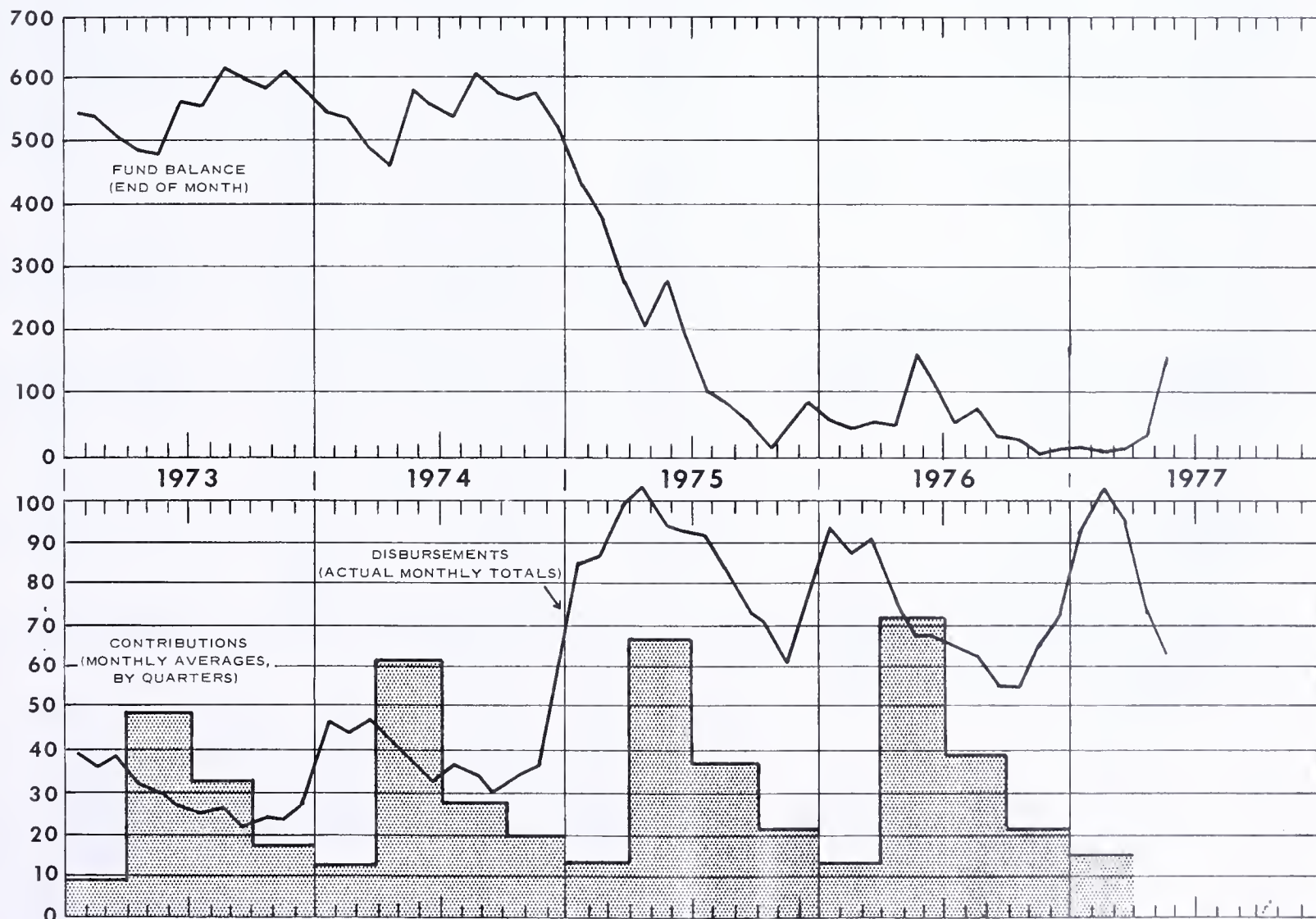
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,796,384 (12 mo. avg.) <sup>d/</sup>
Employers .....	191,926 (as of 4/30/77)
Total Wages .....	\$40.8 billion per yr. <sup>d/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.9 billion per yr. <sup>d/</sup>

- <sup>a/</sup> Includes Federal Loans of \$847,295,925.  
<sup>b/</sup> Includes Mass Placements.  
<sup>c/</sup> Includes Federal Loans of \$417,561,100.  
<sup>d/</sup> 12-month period January - December 1976.

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	May 1977	May 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	313,493	358,770	-12.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	686,147	660,967	+ 3.8
Disadvantaged	238,463	228,063	+ 4.6
Black	140,031	131,253	+ 6.7
Handicapped	56,400	49,260	+14.5
Veteran	135,240	129,006	+ 4.8
Handicapped Veteran	18,485	16,065	+15.1
Vietnam Era	73,151	71,652	+ 2.1
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	32,929	31,640	+ 4.1
Disadvantaged	15,303	16,739	- 8.6
Black	6,660	6,301	+ 5.7
Handicapped	7,490	7,114	+ 5.3
Veteran	10,685	10,165	+ 5.1
<u>Persons Tested</u>	16,744	16,275	+ 2.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	147,531	143,129	+ 3.1
Nonagricultural	146,188	141,558	+ 3.3
Agricultural	1,343	1,571	-14.5
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	16,310	16,822	- 3.0
Nonagricultural	16,159	16,689	- 3.2
Agricultural	151	133	+13.5
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	93,470	79,269	+17.9
Nonagricultural	92,742	78,629	+17.9
Disadvantaged	25,618	18,583	+37.9
Black	17,590	11,894	+47.9
Handicapped	5,461	4,866	+12.2
Veteran	16,595	14,490	+14.5
Handicapped Veteran	2,198	1,869	+17.6
Vietnam Era	11,525	9,991	+15.4
Short Time - Total	6,292	7,824	-19.6
Disadvantaged	1,170	1,224	- 4.4
Black	1,215	1,122	+ 8.3
Agricultural	902	904	- 0.2
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	112,608	108,558	+ 3.7
Nonagricultural	111,663	107,079	+ 4.3
Agricultural	945	1,479	-36.1
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	30,322	31,707	- 4.4
Disadvantaged	11,568	11,918	- 2.9
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	73,184	71,058	+ 3.0
To Major Employers	23,237	21,759	+ 6.8
Agricultural Employer Visits	2,388	2,012	+18.7
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	55,108	55,953	- 1.5

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	May 1977	April 1977	May 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$204,814,170	\$116,030,013	\$214,288,057	\$699,920,709	\$666,967,342	+ 4.9
Contributions	187,614,170	49,705,013	184,288,057	281,952,139	252,081,916	+11.8
Interest	0	0	0	0	-11,215	*
Other	17,200,000	66,325,000	30,000,000	417,968,570	414,896,941	+ 0.7
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$62,948,333	\$73,459,361	\$67,118,279	\$431,100,156	\$412,755,761	+ 4.4
Net Amount	62,865,300	72,767,316	67,003,431	428,892,469	411,077,405	- 4.3
Total Unemployment	59,067,829	68,666,287	63,593,551	402,515,867	387,967,301	+ 3.7
Partial Unemployment	3,880,504	4,793,074	3,524,728	28,584,289	24,788,460	+15.3
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$7,569,241	\$7,777,961	\$8,848,889	\$44,249,246	\$52,822,287	-16.2
Federal Supplementary Benefits	11,007,041	13,838,928	20,093,911	85,381,215	119,740,115	-28.7
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,499,641	2,934,984	2,313,366	19,449,861	13,792,356	+41.0
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-690,572,978 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-813,945,565 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-260,373,298 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-690,572,978 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-260,373,298 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	35,145	39,267	39,674	364,689	316,508	+15.2
EB	12,037	10,446	13,898	62,609	77,501	-19.2
FSB	7,684	8,485	10,132	48,375	64,089	-24.5
SUA	1,232	1,538	1,359	14,762	11,978	+23.2
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	743,283	851,397	816,160	4,964,321	5,020,180	- 1.1
EB	90,830	93,258	110,575	523,075	651,583	-19.7
FSB	128,930	161,414	250,213	1,010,011	1,492,959	-32.3
SUA	37,360	45,760	36,151	328,575	225,071	+46.0
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	737,259	845,144	809,860	4,923,456	4,981,564	- 1.2
Partial Unemployment	645,406	741,955	723,011	4,313,604	4,413,398	- 2.3
Average Weekly Number	91,853	103,189	86,849	609,852	568,166	+ 7.3
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$85.38	\$86.92	\$82.88	\$87.56	\$82.86	+ 5.7
Partial Unemployment	91.52	92.55	87.96	93.31	87.91	+ 6.1
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	12,624	10,874	13,700	60,803	75,293	-19.2
EB	8,091	9,677	10,396	50,590	65,416	-22.7
FSB	2,626	4,295	9,530	24,166	37,948	-36.3
SUA	693	987	479	3,355	2,492	+34.6
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	99,896	110,737	101,927	781,730	668,926	+16.9
Additional	44,601	52,368	48,575	415,030	366,806	+13.1
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	55,295	58,369	53,352	366,700	302,120	+21.4
Ineligible	42,242	50,967	50,470	416,497	379,621	+ 9.7
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
Eligible	33,944	37,497	39,821	335,589	302,522	+10.9
Ineligible	8,298	13,470	10,649	80,908	77,099	+ 4.9
<u>Claims - Interstate</u>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	813,875	883,368	830,664	5,367,385	5,316,449	+ 1.0
Applications	27,686	30,180	31,765	177,769	192,882	- 7.8
Continued Claims	2,744	2,476	3,085	16,703	17,755	- 5.9
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	24,942	27,704	28,680	161,066	175,127	- 8.0
Continued Claims	31,683	34,970	38,962	194,605	241,484	-19.4
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	4,154	4,406	3,947	26,123	24,784	+ 5.4
Number Liable Employers	27,529	30,564	35,015	168,482	216,700	-22.3
Percentage change not applicable.	3,477	3,592	3,049	18,365	15,192	+20.9
Unless otherwise indicated, all data are for Regular UC only.	62	61	65	290	262	+10.7
SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.	NA	191,926	190,407	NA	190,407	--
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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-MAY

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	28,071	179,858	15.6
Apparel Mfg.	18,133	136,751	13.2
Leather Products	2,474	20,957	11.8
Textile Products	4,287	50,674	8.4
Food Products	7,680	100,883	7.6
Furniture & Fixtures	1,355	18,217	7.4
Retail Apparel	3,363	46,700	7.2
Transportation Equip.	4,635	65,014	7.1
Amusement & Rec.	2,011	32,108	6.2
Rubber & Plastics	2,133	34,957	6.1
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,223	20,086	6.0
Passenger Transit	1,096	18,256	6.0

\* Most recent 12-month average.

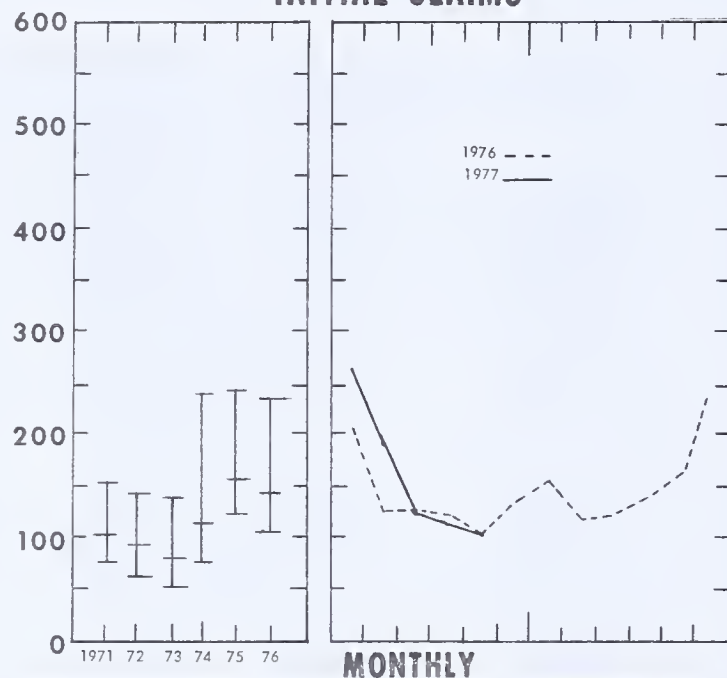
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	May 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,537,296	\$15,600,231
Gross Amount	2,573,979	15,773,719
Total Unemployment	2,486,833	15,280,635
Benefit Payments-Total No.	32,602	199,810
Weeks Compensated	32,141	196,715
Total Unemployment	30,475	187,240
Average Payment	\$80.08	\$80.19
First Payments	1,132	7,413
Final Payments	760	3,836
Initial Claims	2,129	10,861
Continued Claims	31,024	194,588
Benefit Appeals Received	82	440

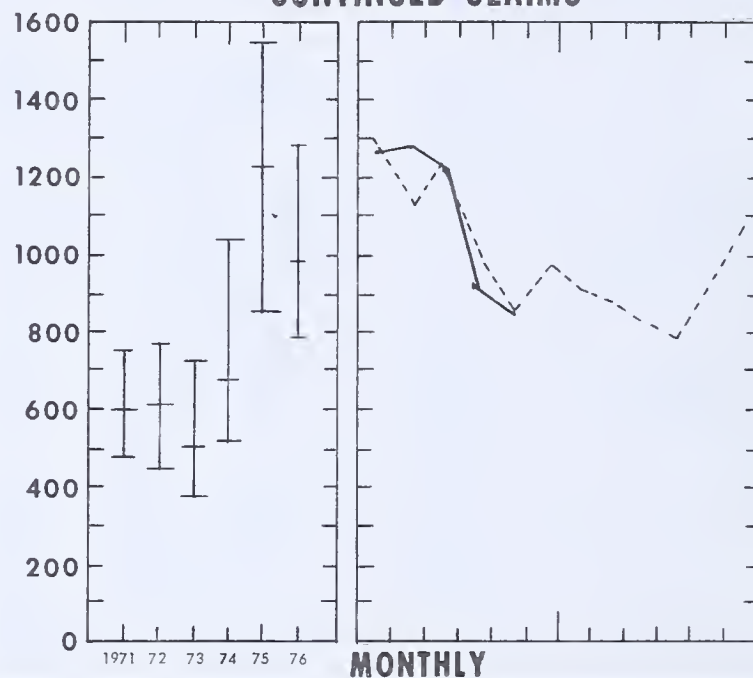
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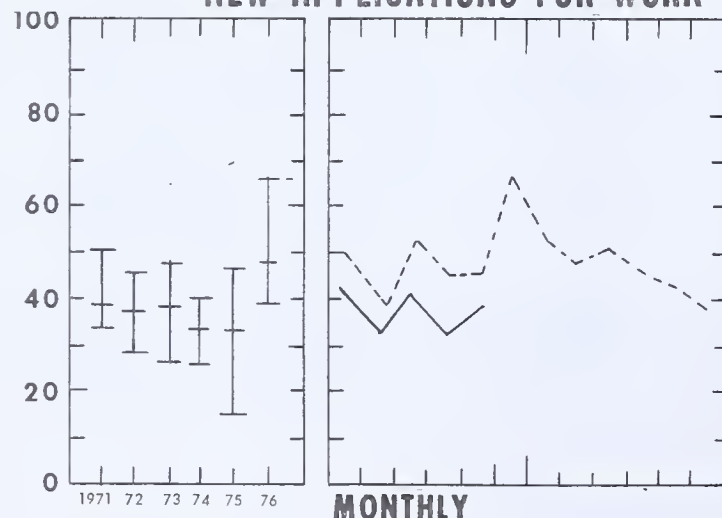
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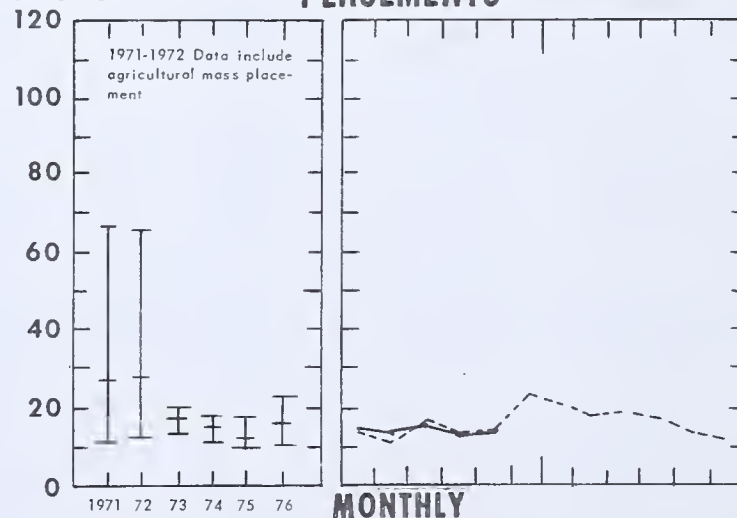
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### THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK



### THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS



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# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

JUNE 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of June 30, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,197,277,120	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,386,602
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,862,636 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,635,611,570 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,543,137
Total Receipts .....	\$9,332,306,407 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	520,784,069
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,150,495,412	No. UC Payments Made* .....	238,479,132
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,391,069
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$269,931,926	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,655,407
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$126,067,280		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-May 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,097,200
Total Employment .....	4,773,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,542,600
Total Unemployment .....	324,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	6.4

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,173.3 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,176.1 million (last 12 mos.)
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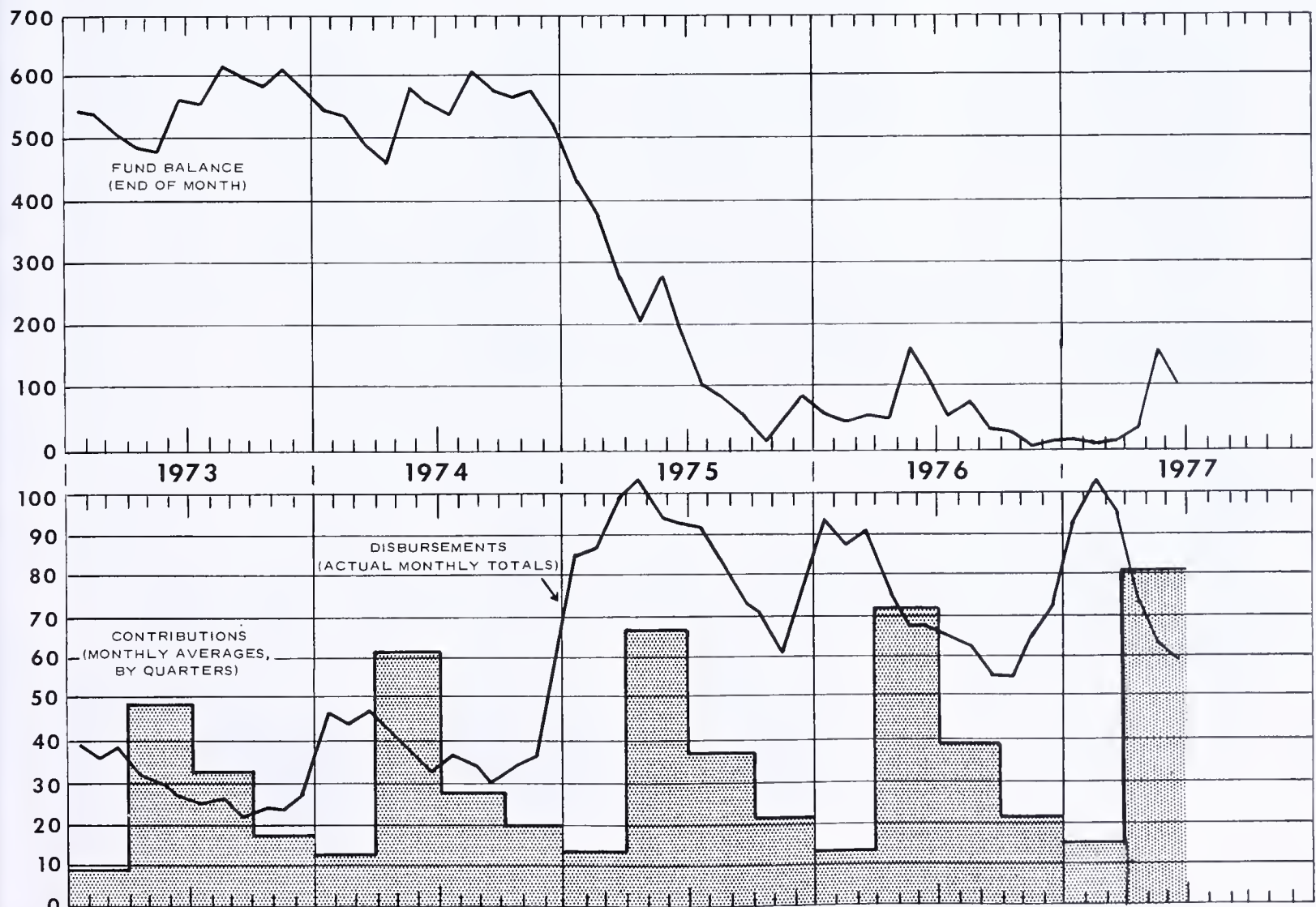
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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	June 1977	June 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	367,012	424,911	-13.6
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	744,966	425,458	+75.1
<u>Disadvantaged</u>	264,305	123,506	+114.0
Black	149,634	68,929	+117.1
Handicapped	59,367	31,227	+90.1
Veteran	141,887	81,516	+74.1
Handicapped Veteran	19,381	10,133	+91.3
Vietnam Era	76,945	43,930	+75.2
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	35,865	34,983	+ 2.5
<u>Disadvantaged</u>	16,764	18,399	- 8.9
Black	7,340	7,045	+ 4.2
Handicapped	8,171	7,898	+ 3.5
Veteran	11,466	11,281	+ 1.6
<u>Persons Tested</u>	19,322	18,384	+ 5.1
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	181,449	173,113	+ 4.8
Nonagricultural	179,872	171,116	+ 5.1
Agricultural	1,577	1,997	-21.0
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	21,135	16,858	+25.4
Nonagricultural	21,061	16,754	+25.7
Agricultural	74	104	-28.8
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	113,162	97,988	+15.5
Nonagricultural	112,240	97,011	+15.7
Disadvantaged	35,022	27,433	+27.7
Black	20,200	14,490	+39.4
Handicapped	6,290	5,504	+14.3
Veteran	18,875	16,261	+16.1
Handicapped Veteran	2,502	2,082	+20.2
Vietnam Era	13,099	11,191	+17.0
Short-Time - Total	7,106	8,801	-19.3
Disadvantaged	1,345	1,423	- 5.5
Black	1,369	1,274	+ 7.5
Agricultural	1,162	1,303	-10.8
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	136,054	132,285	+ 2.8
Nonagricultural	134,835	130,370	+ 3.4
Agricultural	1,219	1,915	-36.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	33,267	36,002	- 7.6
Disadvantaged	12,747	13,534	- 5.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	81,011	80,852	+ 0.2
To Major Employers	25,796	24,698	+ 4.4
Agricultural Employer Visits	2,845	2,560	+11.1
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	62,144	63,192	- 1.7

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	June 1977	May 1977	June 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$19,066,583	\$204,814,170	\$30,160,987	\$718,987,292	\$697,128,329	+ 3.1
Contributions	4,957,501	187,614,170	5,008,376	286,909,640	257,090,292	+11.6
Interest	0	0	0	0	-11,215	*
Other	14,109,082	17,200,000	25,152,611	432,077,652	440,049,252	- 1.8
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$60,296,171	\$62,948,333	\$67,755,651	\$491,396,327	\$480,511,412	+ 2.3
Net Amount	59,097,266	62,865,300	67,499,758	487,989,735	478,577,163	+ 2.0
Total Unemployment	56,339,847	59,067,829	63,808,082	458,855,714	451,775,383	+ 1.6
Partial Unemployment	3,956,324	3,880,504	3,947,569	32,540,613	28,736,029	+13.2
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,266,978	\$7,569,241	\$9,362,638	\$52,516,224	\$62,184,925	-15.5
Federal Supplementary Benefits	7,577,716	11,007,041	18,986,664	92,958,931	138,726,779	-33.0
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,404,503	2,499,641	2,528,667	21,854,364	16,321,023	+33.9
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-746,448,355 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-690,572,978 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-326,061,371 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-746,448,355 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-326,061,371 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	34,736	35,145	41,750	399,425	358,258	+11.5
EB	12,130	12,037	13,950	74,739	91,451	-18.3
FSB	7,558	7,684	9,941	55,933	74,030	-24.4
SUA	1,174	1,232	2,580	15,936	14,558	+ 9.5
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	720,989	743,283	834,318	5,685,310	5,854,498	- 2.9
EB	99,478	90,830	115,405	622,553	766,988	-18.8
FSB	87,966	128,930	236,975	1,097,977	1,729,934	-36.5
SUA	35,716	37,360	40,521	364,291	265,592	+37.2
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	715,309	737,259	827,948	5,638,765	5,809,512	- 2.9
Partial Unemployment	623,156	645,406	732,238	4,936,760	5,145,636	- 4.1
Average Weekly Number	92,153	91,853	95,710	702,005	663,876	+ 5.7
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$84.29	\$85.38	\$81.84	\$87.15	\$82.71	+ 5.4
Partial Unemployment	90.41	91.52	87.14	92.95	87.80	+ 5.9
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	11,947	12,624	13,769	72,750	89,062	-18.3
EB	8,237	8,091	10,428	58,827	75,844	-22.4
FSB	341	2,626	7,919	24,507	45,867	-46.6
SUA	644	693	511	3,999	3,003	+33.2
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	104,183	99,896	129,900	885,913	798,826	+10.9
Additional	47,693	44,601	63,512	462,723	430,318	+ 7.5
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	56,490	55,295	66,388	423,190	368,508	+14.8
Ineligible	48,170	42,242	58,860	464,667	438,481	+ 6.0
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
Applications	38,811	33,944	47,199	374,400	349,721	+ 7.1
Continued Claims	9,359	8,298	11,661	90,267	88,760	+ 1.7
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	812,503	813,875	951,693	6,179,888	6,268,142	- 1.4
Continued Claims	28,058	27,686	36,481	205,827	229,363	-10.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	2,987	2,744	4,020	19,690	21,775	- 9.6
Continued Claims	25,071	24,942	32,461	186,137	207,588	-10.3
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	31,425	31,683	43,777	226,030	285,261	-20.8
Number Liable Employers	3,995	4,154	4,791	30,118	29,575	+ 1.8
	27,430	27,529	38,986	195,912	255,686	-23.4
	3,954	3,477	3,822	22,319	19,014	+17.4
	83	62	51	373	313	+19.2
	NA	191,980	191,390	NA	191,390	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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Construction	21,764	179,858	12.1
Apparel Mfg.	16,228	136,751	11.9
Leather Products	2,163	20,957	10.3
Textile Products	3,649	50,674	7.2
Food Products	6,917	100,883	6.9
Furniture & Fixtures	1,239	18,217	6.8
Retail Apparel	3,160	46,700	6.8
Transp. Equipment	3,778	65,014	5.8
General Merch.	7,067	126,610	5.6
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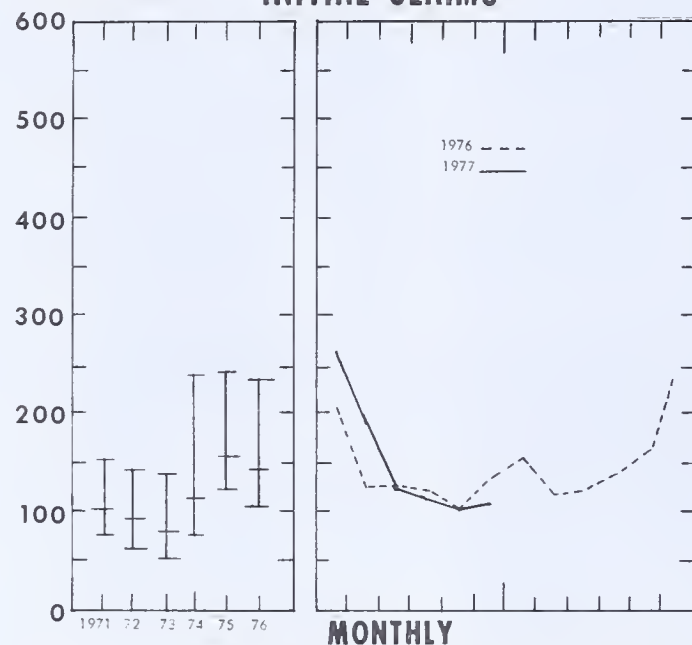
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Activity*	June 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,650,282	\$18,250,513
Gross Amount	2,697,356	18,471,075
Total Unemployment	2,605,908	17,886,543
Benefit Payments-Total No.	34,248	234,058
Weeks Compensated	33,785	230,500
Total Unemployment	31,931	219,171
Average Payment	\$79.84	\$80.13
First Payments	1,527	8,940
Final Payments	797	4,633
Initial Claims	2,451	13,312
Continued Claims	34,923	229,511
Benefit Appeals Received	111	551

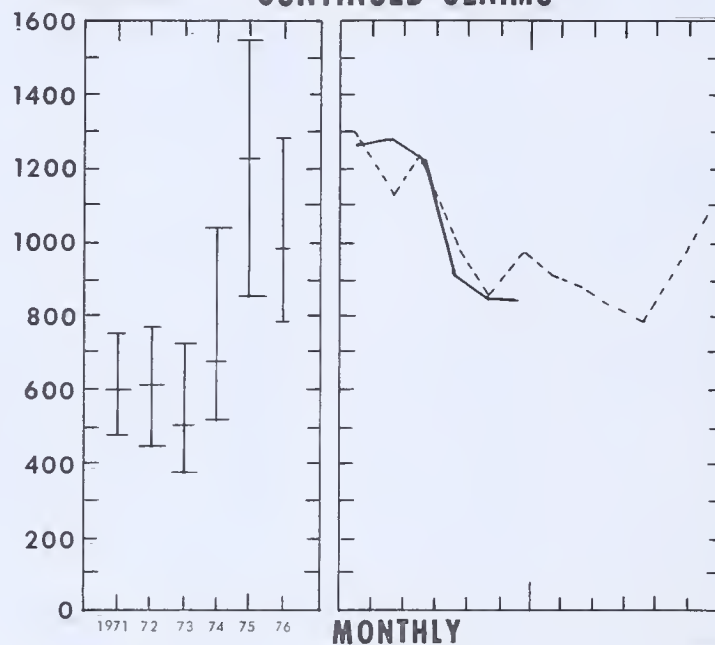
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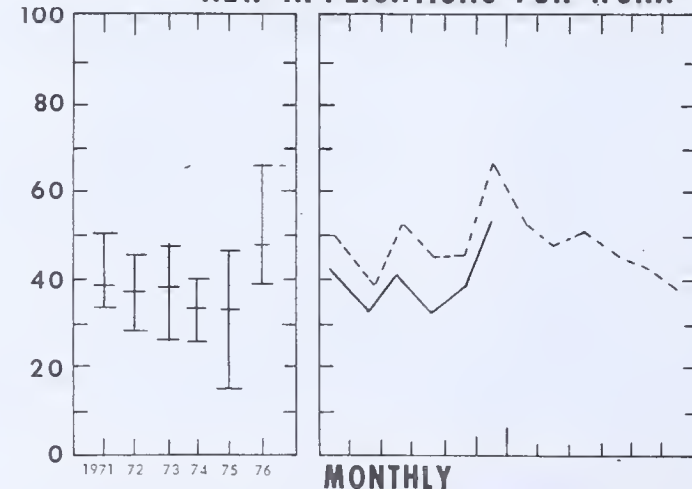
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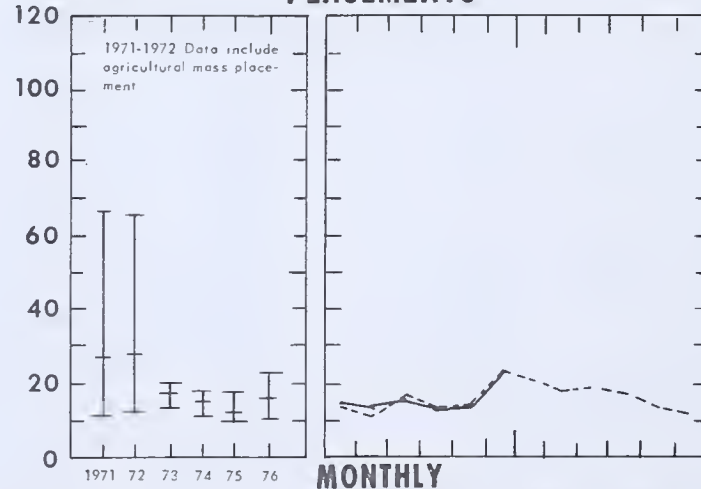
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HARRISBURG, PA

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JULY 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of July 31, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,233,435,845	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,438,356
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,417,717	Job Placements Made .....	14,887,283 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,648,361,570 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,614,259
Total Receipts .....	\$9,381,215,132 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	521,692,850
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,221,988,988	No. UC Payments Made* .....	239,340,508
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,416,925
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$272,125,403	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,174,636
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$127,458,399		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-June 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,142,000
Total Employment .....	4,810,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,571,000
Total Unemployment .....	332,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	6.5

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,178.7 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,156.1 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$78.3 million (as of 7/31/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	3.25% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.76% (last 12 mos.)

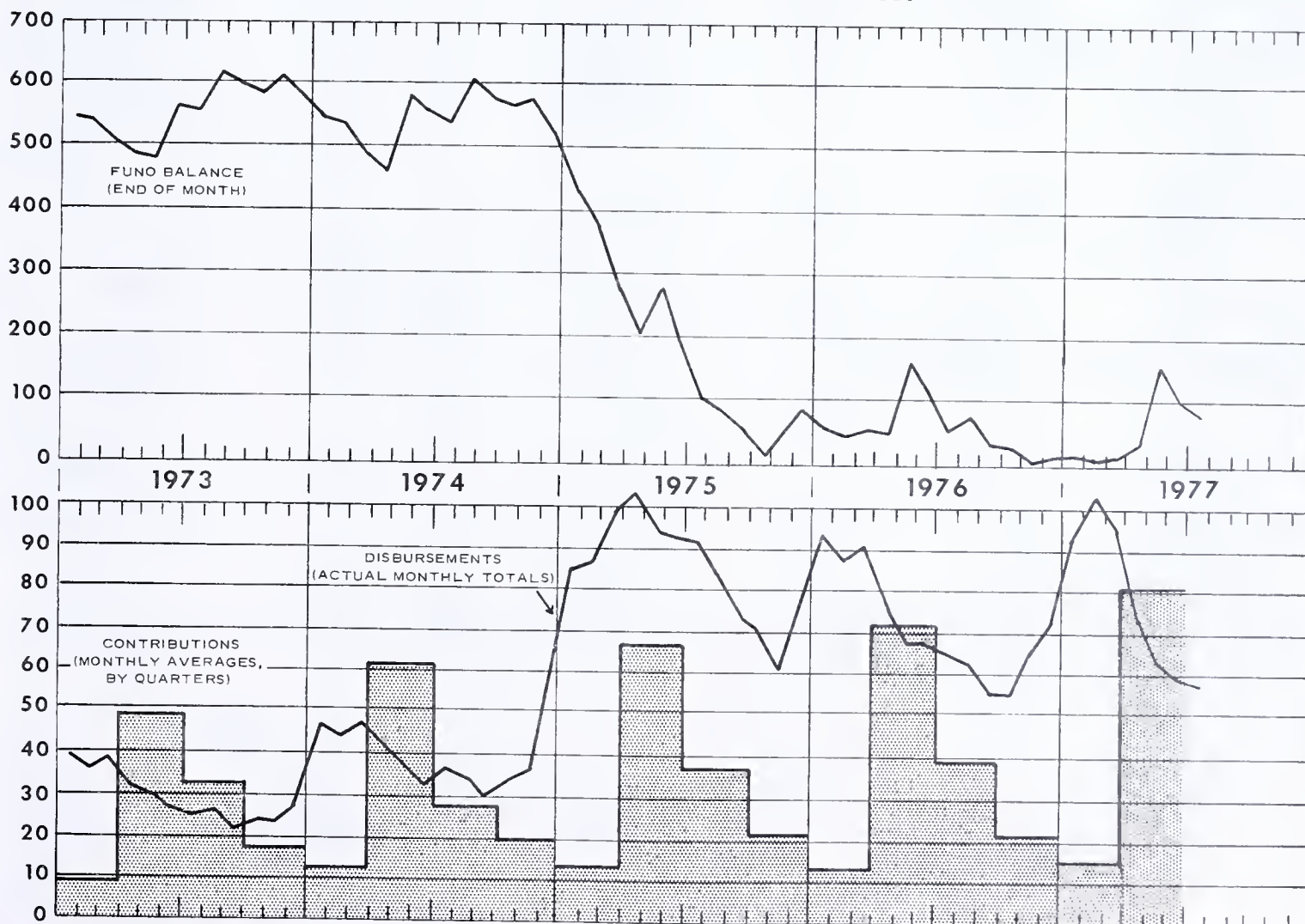
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,796,384 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	193,299 (as of 6/30/77)
Total Wages .....	\$40.8 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$14.9 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

- a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$847,295,925.  
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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	July 1977	July 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	413,923	477,266	-13.3
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	792,407	476,348	+66.4
Disadvantaged	284,278	140,744	+102.0
Black	159,482	78,478	+103.2
Handicapped	62,179	34,359	+81.0
Veteran	148,367	89,366	+66.0
Handicapped Veteran	20,289	11,070	+83.3
Vietnam Era	80,601	48,095	+67.6
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	38,572	38,271	+ 0.8
Disadvantaged	18,144	20,161	-10.0
Black	7,849	7,761	+ 1.1
Handicapped	8,761	8,614	+ 1.7
Veteran	12,178	12,215	- 0.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	21,061	20,231	+ 4.1
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	215,248	197,045	+ 9.2
Nonagricultural	213,497	194,761	+ 9.6
Agricultural	1,751	2,284	-23.3
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	21,075	14,750	+42.9
Nonagricultural	21,021	14,612	+43.9
Agricultural	54	138	-60.9
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	137,809	113,652	+21.3
Nonagricultural	136,589	112,517	+21.4
Disadvantaged	48,625	34,533	+40.8
Black	25,021	16,761	+49.3
Handicapped	7,350	6,128	+19.9
Veteran	21,722	17,883	+21.5
Handicapped Veteran	2,935	2,294	+27.9
Vietnam Era	15,015	12,267	+22.4
Short Time - Total	8,402	9,995	-15.9
Disadvantaged	1,554	1,566	- 0.8
Black	1,571	1,423	+10.4
Agricultural	1,507	1,522	- 1.0
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	164,820	153,146	+ 7.6
Nonagricultural	163,230	150,923	+ 8.2
Agricultural	1,590	2,223	-28.5
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	35,478	39,719	-10.7
Disadvantaged	13,665	14,937	- 8.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	87,783	89,537	- 2.0
To Major Employers	27,852	27,178	+ 2.5
Agricultural Employer Visits	3,383	3,037	+11.4
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	67,040	69,924	- 4.1

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct, 1976 - Sept, 1977.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	July 1977	June 1977	July 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$48,908,725	\$19,066,583	\$43,437,566	\$767,896,018	\$740,565,895	+ 3.7
Contributions	36,158,725	4,957,501	21,887,566	323,068,366	278,977,858	+15.8
Interest	0	0	0	0	-11,215	*
Other	12,750,000	14,109,082	21,550,000	444,827,652	461,599,252	- 3.6
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$57,526,594	\$60,296,171	\$65,494,114	\$548,922,921	\$546,005,526	+ 0.5
Net Amount	57,595,652	59,097,266	65,198,186	545,585,387	543,775,349	+ 0.3
Total Unemployment	53,886,180	56,339,847	61,884,628	512,741,894	513,660,011	- 0.2
Partial Unemployment	3,640,414	3,956,324	3,609,486	36,181,027	32,345,515	+11.9
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$7,505,298	\$8,266,978	\$9,001,248	\$60,021,522	\$71,186,173	-15.7
Federal Supplementary Benefits	6,392,627	7,577,716	17,270,915	99,351,558	155,997,694	-36.3
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	2,822,740	2,404,503	4,019,742	24,677,104	20,340,765	+21.3
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-769,033,206 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-746,448,355 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-374,094,154 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-769,033,206 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-374,094,154 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	52,669	34,736	54,351	452,094	412,609	+ 9.6
EB	10,511	12,130	13,517	85,250	104,968	-18.8
FSB	7,673	7,558	9,957	63,606	83,987	-24.3
SUA	4,726	1,174	7,329	20,662	21,887	- 5.6
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	699,065	720,989	817,780	6,384,375	6,672,278	- 4.3
EB	89,561	99,478	111,487	712,114	878,475	-18.9
FSB	74,008	87,966	215,838	1,171,985	1,945,772	-39.8
SUA	39,755	35,716	75,858	404,046	341,450	+18.3
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	694,554	715,309	812,627	6,333,319	6,622,139	- 4.4
Partial Unemployment	615,795	623,156	728,906	5,552,555	5,874,542	- 5.5
Average Weekly Number	165,370	162,570	184,688	213,963	217,834	- 1.8
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$82.83	\$84.29	\$80.60	\$86.67	\$82.45	+ 5.1
Partial Unemployment	87.51	90.41	84.90	92.34	87.44	+ 5.6
	46.22	42.93	43.11	46.34	43.27	+ 7.1
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	10,472	11,947	14,310	83,222	103,372	-19.5
EB	8,692	8,237	10,542	67,519	86,386	-21.8
FSB	81	341	7,341	24,588	53,208	-53.8
SUA	398	644	305	4,397	3,308	+32.9
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	150,225	104,183	152,578	1,036,138	951,404	+ 8.9
Additional	78,232	47,693	81,054	540,955	511,372	+ 5.8
	71,993	56,490	71,524	495,183	440,032	+12.5
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	72,899	48,170	82,599	537,566	521,080	+ 3.2
Ineligible	58,871	38,811	64,340	433,271	414,061	+ 4.6
	14,028	9,359	18,259	104,295	107,019	- 2.5
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>						
	765,871	812,503	884,882	6,945,759	7,153,024	- 2.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>						
Applications	26,985	28,058	34,099	232,812	263,462	-11.6
Continued Claims	3,439	2,987	3,579	23,129	25,354	- 8.8
	23,546	25,071	30,520	209,683	238,108	-11.9
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	31,036	31,425	42,725	257,066	327,986	-21.6
Continued Claims	4,681	3,995	5,193	34,799	34,768	+ 0.1
	26,355	27,430	37,532	222,267	293,218	-24.2
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
	3,718	3,954	2,981	26,037	21,995	+18.4
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>						
	9	83	53	382	366	+ 4.4
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>						
	NA	193,299	190,931	NA	190,931	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Passenger Transit	3,548	18,256	19.4
Apparel Manufacturing	18,015	136,751	13.2
Leather Products	2,248	20,957	10.7
Construction	18,278	179,858	10.2
Textile Products	4,244	50,674	8.4
Retail Apparel	3,334	46,700	7.1
Furniture & Fixtures	1,267	18,217	7.0
Misc. Manufacturing	1,727	27,666	6.2
Food Products	6,295	100,883	6.2
Transportation Equip.	3,901	65,014	6.0
Business Services	5,452	100,273	5.4
General Merchandise	6,854	126,610	5.4

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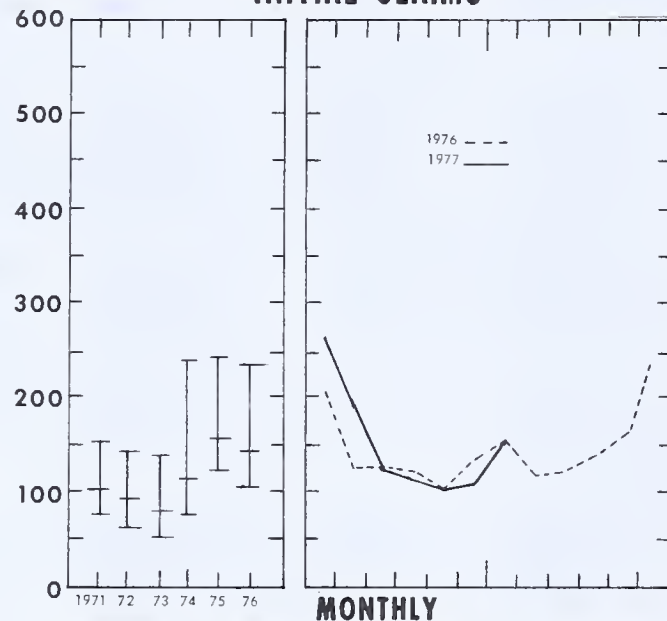
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Activity *	July 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,623,340	\$20,873,853
Gross Amount	2,651,231	21,122,306
Total Unemployment	2,580,981	20,467,524
Benefit Payments-Total No.	32,616	266,674
Weeks Compensated	32,146	262,646
Total Unemployment	30,773	249,944
Average Payment	\$82.47	\$80.42
First Payment	1,752	10,692
Final Payments	635	5,268
Initial Claims	2,716	16,028
Continued Claims	30,228	259,739
Benefit Appeals Received	73	624

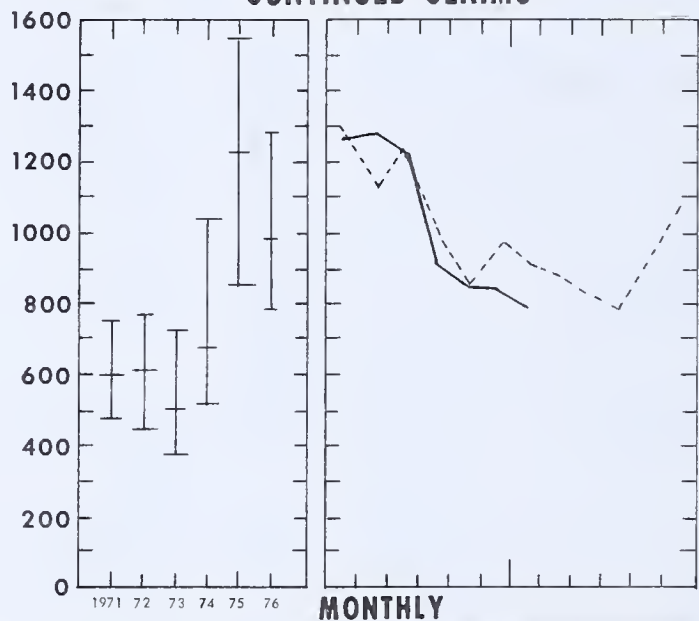
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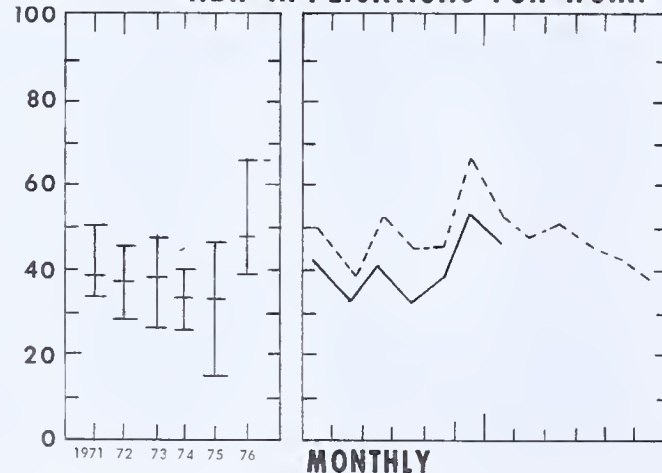
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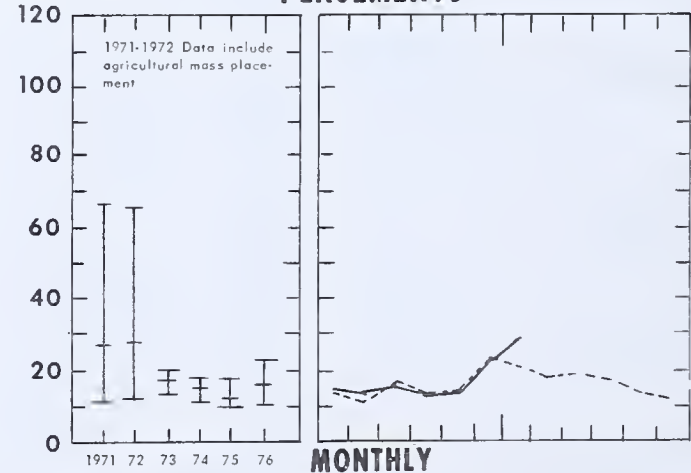
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Other Receipts .....	\$1,662,111,570 <sup>a/</sup>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,731,656
Total Receipts .....	\$9,487,205,711 <sup>a/</sup>	Wage Records Received .....	523,438,889
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,300,382,149	No. UC Payments Made* .....	240,283,004
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,444,157
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$274,482,082	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,695,718
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$129,014,832		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics-July 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,153,200
Total Employment .....	4,807,200
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,562,300
Total Unemployment .....	346,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force ....	6.7

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,165.2 million (last 12 mos.) <sup>c/</sup>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,145.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$105.9 million (as of 8/31/77) <sup>a/</sup>
Contribution Rate .....	3.16% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.61% (last 12 mos.)

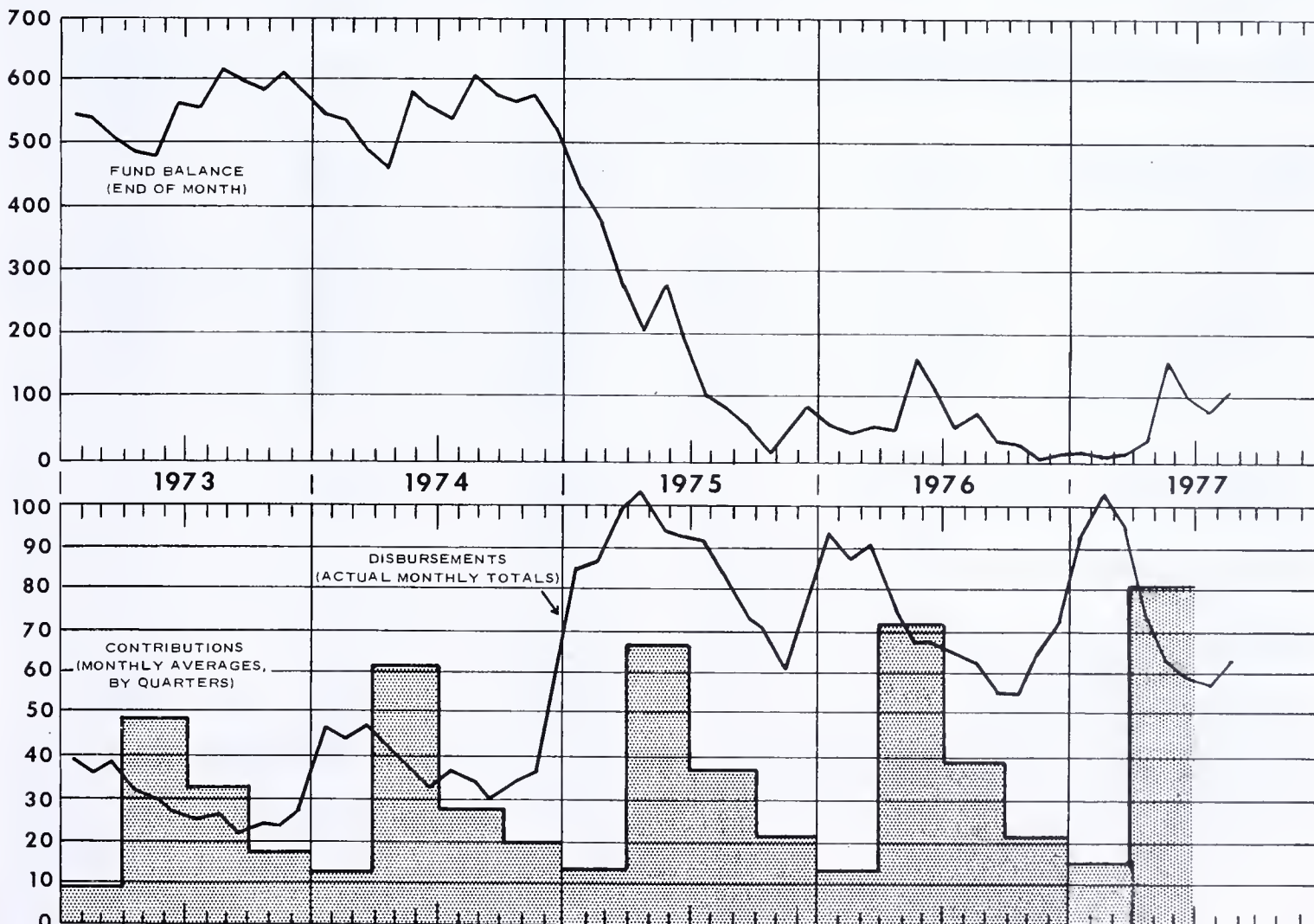
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Employment .....	3,807,157 (12 mo. avg.) <sup>d/</sup>
Employers .....	192,625 (as of 7/31/77)
Total Wages .....	\$41.5 billion per yr. <sup>d/</sup>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.3 billion per yr. <sup>d/</sup>

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



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## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date 2/		% Change
	August 1977	August 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	460,403	524,396	-12.2
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	838,561	520,684	+61.0
Disadvantaged	299,105	154,045	+94.2
Black	167,982	86,431	+94.4
Handicapped	65,267	37,779	+72.8
Veteran	155,540	98,113	+58.5
Handicapped Veteran	21,260	26,273	-19.1
Vietnam Era	84,460	52,682	+60.3
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	41,525	42,080	- 1.3
Disadvantaged	19,611	21,656	- 9.4
Black	8,480	8,551	- 0.8
Handicapped	9,528	9,557	- 0.3
Veteran	13,004	13,550	- 4.0
<u>Persons Tested</u>	23,493	22,387	+ 4.9
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	253,210	220,229	+15.0
Nonagricultural	250,621	217,380	+15.3
Agricultural	2,589	2,849	- 9.1
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	21,138	14,458	+46.2
Nonagricultural	20,773	14,227	+46.0
Agricultural	365	231	+58.0
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	163,227	125,783	+29.8
Nonagricultural	161,730	124,530	+29.9
Disadvantaged	61,442	38,705	+58.7
Black	32,586	18,537	+75.8
Handicapped	8,563	6,790	+26.1
Veteran	25,251	20,002	+26.2
Handicapped Veteran	3,441	2,536	+35.7
Vietnam Era	17,430	13,751	+26.8
Short Time - Total	9,453	10,916	-13.4
Disadvantaged	1,737	1,780	- 2.4
Black	1,724	1,543	+11.7
Agricultural	1,857	1,711	+ 8.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) 1/</u>	196,250	170,253	+15.3
Nonagricultural	194,155	167,743	+15.7
Agricultural	2,095	2,510	-16.5
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	38,214	43,976	-13.1
Disadvantaged	14,877	16,473	- 9.7
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	96,191	109,602	-12.2
To Major Employers	30,439	42,071	-27.6
Agricultural Employer Visits	4,065	3,620	+12.3
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	73,379	76,347	- 3.9

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year - Oct. 1976 - Sept. 1977.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	August 1977	July 1977	August 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$105,990,579	\$48,908,725	\$119,526,355	\$873,886,597	\$860,092,250	+ 1.6
Contributions	92,240,579	36,158,725	93,076,355	415,308,945	372,054,213	+11.6
Interest	0	0	0	0	-11,215	*
Other	13,750,000	12,750,000	26,450,000	458,577,652	488,049,252	- 6.0
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$63,802,141	\$57,526,594	\$62,558,622	\$612,725,062	\$608,564,148	+ 0.7
Net Amount	62,906,530	57,595,652	62,292,775	608,491,917	606,068,124	+ 0.4
Total Unemployment	60,043,581	53,886,180	59,116,519	572,785,475	572,776,520	5/
Partial Unemployment	3,758,560	3,640,414	3,442,103	39,939,587	35,787,618	+11.6
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,470,688	\$7,505,298	\$10,011,666	\$68,492,210	\$81,197,839	-15.6
Federal Supplementary Benefits	7,015,943	6,392,627	16,949,534	106,367,501	172,947,228	-38.5
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	8,150,664	2,822,740	15,737,276	32,827,768	36,078,041	- 9.0
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-741,435,788 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-769,033,206 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-343,821,774 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-741,435,788 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-343,821,774 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	57,540	52,669	47,783	509,634	460,392	+10.7
EB	15,465	10,511	18,376	100,715	123,344	-18.3
FSB	8,116	7,673	10,383	71,722	94,370	-24.0
SUA	10,614	4,726	28,502	31,276	50,389	-37.9
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	761,564	699,065	790,105	7,145,939	7,462,383	- 4.2
EB	103,233	89,561	126,498	815,347	1,004,973	-18.9
FSB	81,213	74,008	210,414	1,253,198	2,156,186	-41.9
SUA	105,521	39,755	293,015	509,567	634,465	-19.7
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>	755,119	694,554	783,559	7,088,438	7,405,698	- 4.3
Total Unemployment	670,000	615,795	697,942	6,222,555	6,572,484	- 5.3
Partial Unemployment	85,119	78,759	85,617	865,883	833,214	+ 3.9
Average Weekly Number	164,156	165,370	178,082	207,264	212,807	- 2.6
<b>Average Payment</b>	\$84.49	\$82.83	\$79.84	\$86.44	\$82.18	+ 5.2
Total Unemployment	89.62	87.51	84.70	92.05	87.15	+ 5.6
Partial Unemployment	44.16	46.22	40.20	46.13	42.95	+ 7.4
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	15,701	10,472	17,948	98,923	121,320	-18.5
EB	8,706	8,692	10,669	76,225	97,055	-21.5
FSB	4,125	81	6,074	28,690	59,282	-51.6
SUA	359	398	313	4,756	3,621	+31.3
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>	115,777	150,225	112,853	1,151,915	1,064,257	+ 8.2
New	58,798	78,232	52,852	599,753	564,224	+ 6.3
Additional	56,979	71,993	60,001	552,162	500,033	+10.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>	60,879	72,899	53,712	598,445	574,792	+ 4.1
Eligible	51,299	58,871	43,009	484,570	457,070	+ 6.0
Ineligible	9,580	14,028	10,703	113,875	117,722	- 3.3
<b>Claims - Intrastate</b>	890,059	765,871	864,441	7,835,818	8,017,465	- 2.3
<b>Interstate - Penna. Agent</b>	29,568	26,985	35,154	262,380	298,616	-12.1
Applications	3,210	3,439	3,858	26,339	29,212	- 9.8
Continued Claims	26,358	23,546	31,296	236,041	269,404	-12.4
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>	32,836	31,036	46,019	289,902	374,005	-22.5
Applications	4,599	4,681	5,049	39,398	39,817	- 1.1
Continued Claims	28,237	26,355	40,970	250,504	334,188	-25.0
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>	4,789	3,718	2,981	30,826	24,785	+24.4
<b>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</b>	112	9	53	494	435	+13.6
<b>Number Liable Employers</b>	NA	192,625	191,276	NA	191,276	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-AUGUST

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Passenger Transit	3,477	18,353	18.9
Apparel Mfg.	15,383	135,459	11.4
Construction	20,225	178,562	11.3
Leather Products	2,002	20,577	9.7
Coal Mining	3,251	39,607	8.2
Retail Apparel	3,598	46,651	7.7
Textile Products	3,240	50,316	6.4
Transp. Equip.	3,963	66,964	5.9
Misc. Manufacturing	1,564	27,877	5.6
Business Services	5,660	101,960	5.5
Food Products	5,517	100,572	5.5
Amusement & Rec.	1,764	32,317	5.5

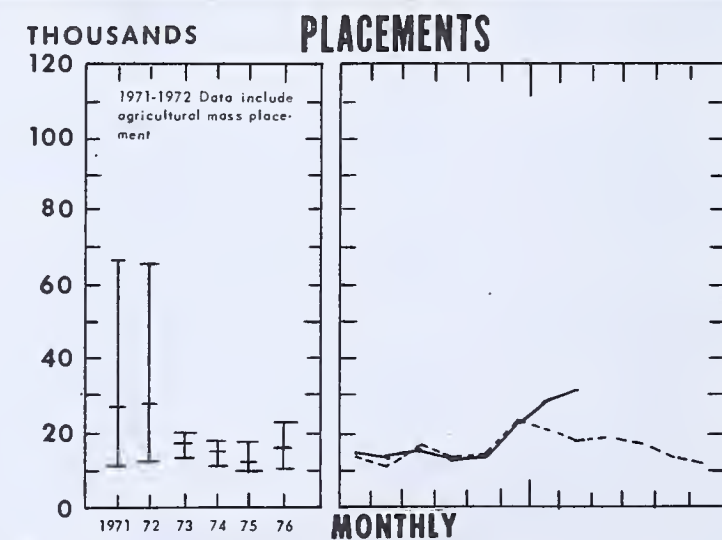
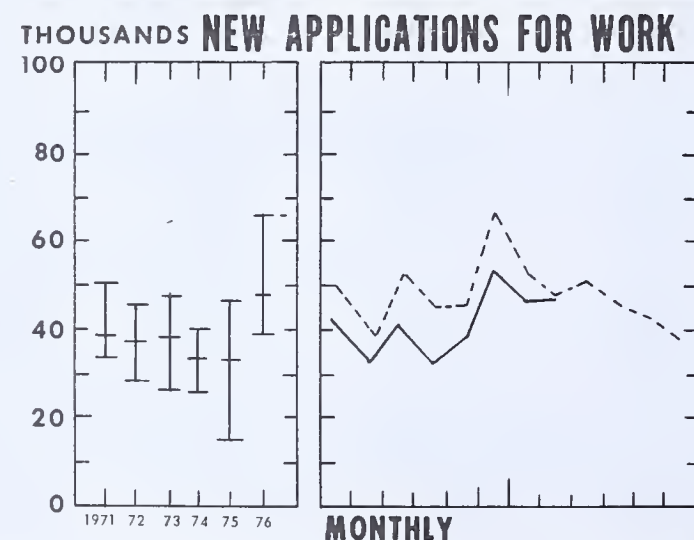
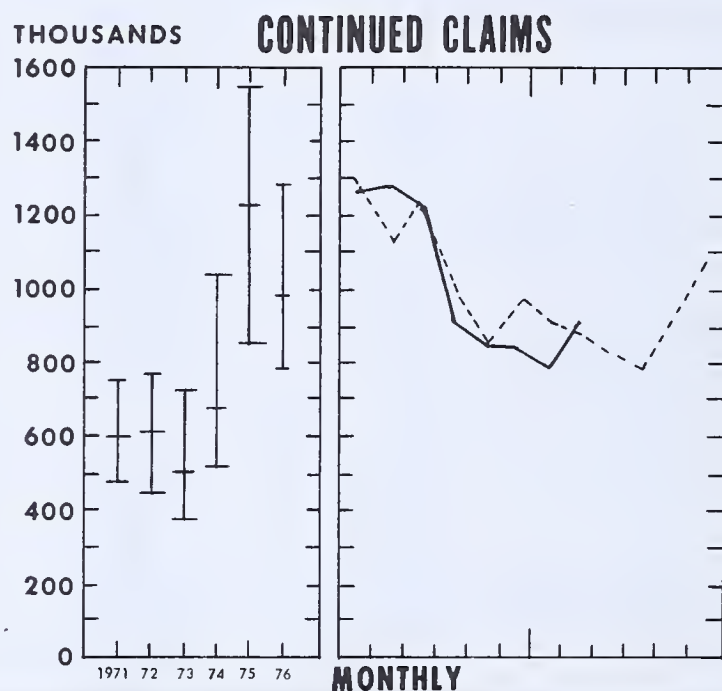
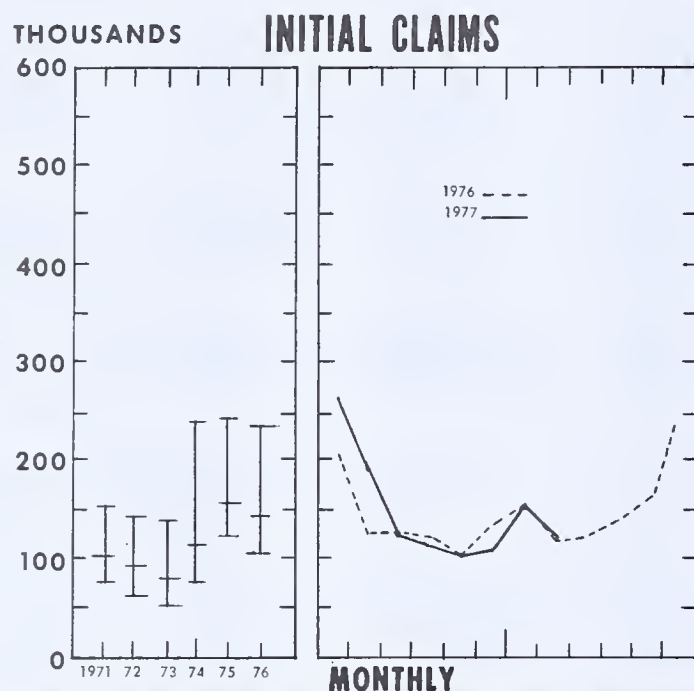
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	August 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,908,144	\$23,781,997
Gross Amount	2,982,520	24,104,826
Total Unemployment	2,901,166	23,368,690
Benefit Payments-Total No.	35,306	301,980
Weeks Compensated	34,740	297,386
Total Unemployment	33,209	283,153
Average Payment	\$85.85	\$81.06
First Payments	1,792	12,484
Final Payments	692	5,960
Initial Claims	2,594	18,622
Continued Claims	34,881	294,620
Benefit Appeals Received	130	754

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# ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1971 TO DATE



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## BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

# EMPLOYMENT SECURITY STATISTICS

HARRISBURG, PA

A MONTHLY COMPILATION OF PERTINENT TABLES AND CHARTS

SEPTEMBER 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of September 30, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,329,927,577	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,537,310
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,762,294	Job Placements Made .....	14,933,368 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,676,256,570 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,740,792
Total Receipts .....	\$9,505,946,441 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	525,040,302
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,372,520,571	No. UC Payments Made* .....	241,134,839
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,468,621
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$276,659,868	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,715,314
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$130,487,415		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

## Labor Force Statistics—August 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,098,000
Total Employment .....	4,770,000
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,522,800
Total Unemployment .....	328,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	6.4

## Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,156.5 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,133.3 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$52.5 million (as of 9/30/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	3.16% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.61% (last 12 mos.)

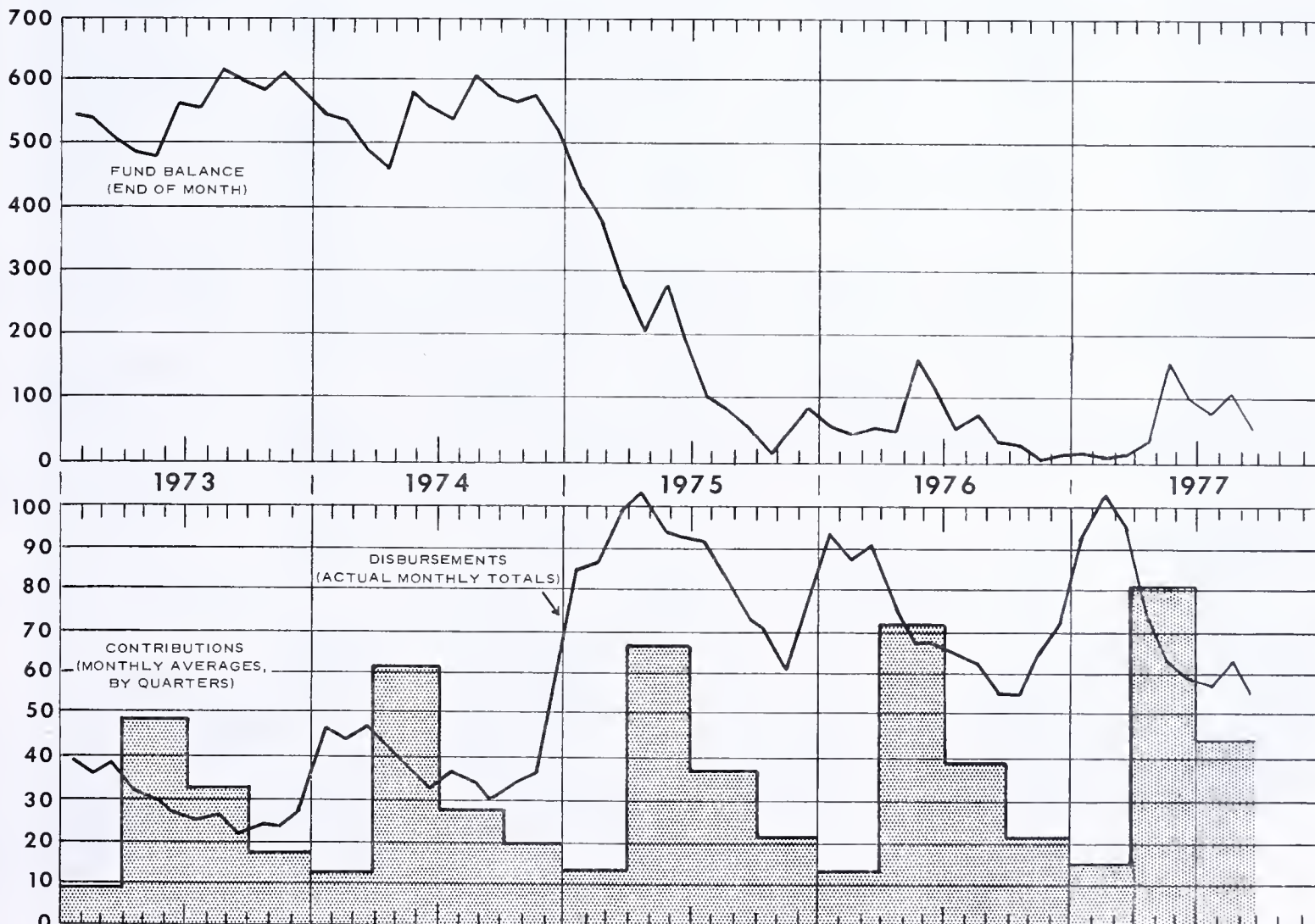
## U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,807,157 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	192,731 (as of 8/31/77)
Total Wages .....	\$41.5 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.3 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$847,295,925.b/ Includes Mass Placements.c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$417,561,100.d/ 12-month period April 1976-March 1977.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date <u>2/</u>		% Change
	September 1977	September 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	506,452	575,306	-12.0
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	883,448	570,392	+54.9
Disadvantaged	315,347	168,485	+87.2
Black	177,262	95,636	+85.4
Handicapped	68,320	41,490	+64.7
Veteran	162,278	106,631	+52.2
Handicapped Veteran	22,255	13,395	+66.1
Vietnam Era	88,127	57,307	+53.8
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	44,882	45,904	- 2.2
Disadvantaged	21,238	23,770	-10.7
Black	9,147	9,318	- 1.8
Handicapped	10,352	10,432	- 0.8
Veteran	14,042	14,834	- 5.3
<u>Persons Tested</u>	25,941	24,878	+ 4.3
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	285,630	251,786	+13.4
Nonagricultural	282,190	248,083	+13.7
Agricultural	3,440	3,703	- 7.1
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	18,724	19,059	- 1.8
Nonagricultural	18,469	18,860	- 2.1
Agricultural	255	199	+28.1
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	183,895	138,812	+32.5
Nonagricultural	181,968	137,208	+32.6
Disadvantaged	71,564	43,525	+64.4
Black	38,957	21,341	+82.5
Handicapped	9,634	7,485	+28.7
Veteran	28,322	22,039	+28.5
Handicapped Veteran	3,902	2,782	+40.3
Vietnam Era	19,484	15,171	+28.4
Short Time - Total	10,088	11,424	-11.7
Disadvantaged	1,944	1,965	- 1.1
Black	1,915	1,703	+12.4
Agricultural	2,392	2,165	+10.5
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <u>1/</u></u>	222,204	189,267	+17.4
Nonagricultural	219,377	186,044	+17.9
Agricultural	2,827	3,223	-12.3
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	41,367	48,643	-15.0
Disadvantaged	16,234	18,251	-11.1
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	104,601	109,700	- 4.6
To Major Employers	33,190	33,409	- 0.7
Agricultural Employer Visits	4,583	4,111	+11.5
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	79,812	83,338	- 4.2

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year October - September.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	September 1977	August 1977	September 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<b>Receipts - Total</b>	\$18,740,730	\$105,990,579	\$27,488,128	\$892,627,326	\$887,580,378	+ 0.6
Contributions	4,251,153	92,240,579	4,338,128	419,560,097	376,392,341	+11.5
Interest	344,577	0	0	344,577	-11,215	*
Other	14,145,000	13,750,000	23,150,000	472,722,652	511,199,252	- 7.5
<b>UC Benefit Payments</b>						
Gross Amount	\$56,267,062	\$63,802,141	\$56,921,101	\$689,992,124	\$665,485,249	+ 3.7
Net Amount	55,503,929	62,906,530	56,798,518	663,995,846	662,866,642	+ 0.2
Total Unemployment	52,558,801	60,043,581	53,071,347	625,344,276	625,847,877	- 0.1
Partial Unemployment	3,708,261	3,758,560	3,849,754	43,647,848	39,637,312	+10.1
<b>Net Benefits</b>						
Extended Benefits	\$9,828,056	\$8,470,688	\$10,981,152	\$78,320,266	\$92,178,991	-15.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	6,806,437	7,015,943	16,355,587	113,173,938	189,302,815	-40.2
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	6,163,615	8,150,664	12,146,021	38,991,383	48,224,062	-19.1
<b>Fund - End of Month</b>	\$-794,833,481 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-741,435,788 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-400,468,903 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-794,833,481 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-400,468,903 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<b>First Payments</b>						
UC	31,398	57,540	35,628	541,032	496,015	+ 9.1
EB	13,513	15,465	15,512	114,228	138,856	-17.7
FSB	7,461	8,116	10,459	79,183	104,829	-24.5
SUA	3,484	10,614	12,421	34,760	62,810	-44.7
<b>Total Number Benefit Payments</b>						
UC	661,322	761,564	718,622	7,807,261	8,181,005	- 4.6
EB	115,465	103,233	136,637	930,812	1,141,610	-18.5
FSB	78,443	81,213	203,202	1,331,641	2,359,388	-43.6
SUA	81,603	105,521	227,698	591,170	862,163	-31.4
<b>Weeks Compensated</b>						
Total Unemployment	656,220	755,119	713,911	7,744,658	8,119,009	- 4.6
Partial Unemployment	572,814	670,000	618,821	6,795,369	7,191,305	- 5.5
Average Weekly Number	83,406	85,119	95,090	949,289	928,304	+ 2.3
<b>Average Payment</b>						
Total Unemployment	\$85.74	\$84.49	\$79.73	\$86.38	\$81.96	+ 5.4
Partial Unemployment	91.76	89.62	85.76	92.03	87.03	+ 5.7
<b>Final Payments</b>						
UC	13,178	15,701	14,805	112,101	136,125	-17.6
EB	8,561	8,706	11,482	84,786	108,531	-21.9
FSB	3,542	4,125	5,762	32,232	65,044	-50.4
SUA	322	359	464	5,078	4,085	+24.3
<b>Applications - Intrastate</b>						
New	93,649	115,777	112,032	1,245,564	1,176,289	+ 5.9
Additional	39,886	58,798	48,528	639,639	612,752	+ 4.4
<b>Financial Determinations</b>						
Eligible	39,536	60,879	49,681	637,981	624,473	+ 2.2
Ineligible	32,539	51,299	39,666	517,109	496,736	+ 4.1
<b>Claims Intrastate</b>						
Interstate - Penna. Agent	6,997	9,580	10,015	120,872	127,737	- 5.4
Applications	720,414	890,059	801,959	8,556,232	8,819,424	- 3.0
Continued Claims	28,307	29,568	35,437	290,687	334,053	-13.0
<b>Interstate - Penna. Liable</b>						
Applications	3,237	3,210	3,965	29,576	33,177	-10.9
Continued Claims	25,070	26,358	31,472	261,111	300,876	-13.2
<b>Benefit Appeals Received</b>						
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	29,110	32,836	45,908	319,012	419,913	-24.0
Number Liable Employers	4,502	4,599	5,225	43,900	45,042	- 2.5
	24,608	28,237	40,683	275,112	374,871	-26.6
	3,804	4,789	4,046	34,630	28,831	+20.1
	62	112	55	556	490	+13.5
	NA	192,731	192,246	NA	192,246	--

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-SEPTEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	15,409	135,459	11.4
Construction	18,753	178,562	10.5
Passenger Transit	1,852	18,353	10.1
Leather Products	2,006	20,577	9.7
Coal Mining	2,808	39,607	7.1
Retail Apparel	3,222	46,651	6.9
Textile Products	3,077	50,316	6.1
Food Products	4,926	100,572	4.9
Business Services	4,974	101,960	4.9
Misc. Manufacturing	1,335	27,877	4.8
Transportation Equip.	3,119	66,964	4.7
General Merchandise	5,830	126,183	4.6

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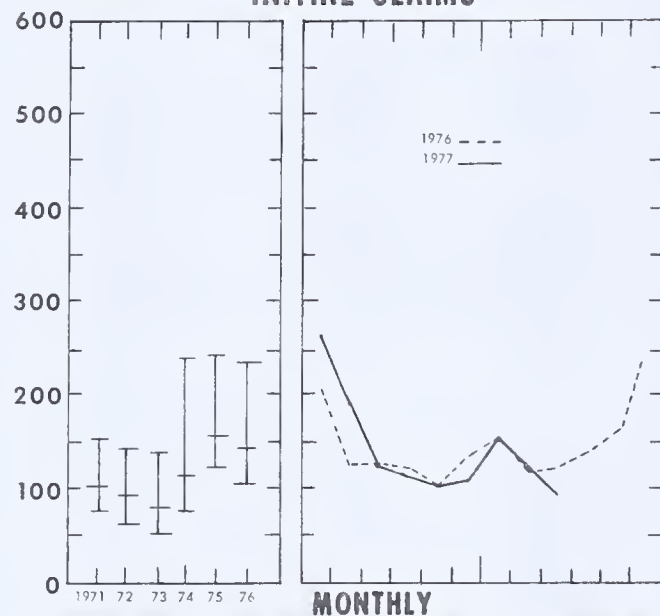
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	September 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,771,170	\$26,553,167
Gross Amount	2,818,976	26,923,802
Total Unemployment	2,741,289	26,109,979
Benefit Payments-Total No.	32,456	334,436
Weeks Compensated	31,853	329,239
Total Unemployment	30,396	313,549
Average Payment	\$88.50	\$81.78
First Payments	1,540	14,024
Final Payments	615	6,575
Initial Claims	2,217	20,839
Continued Claims	31,778	326,398
Benefit Appeals Received	134	888

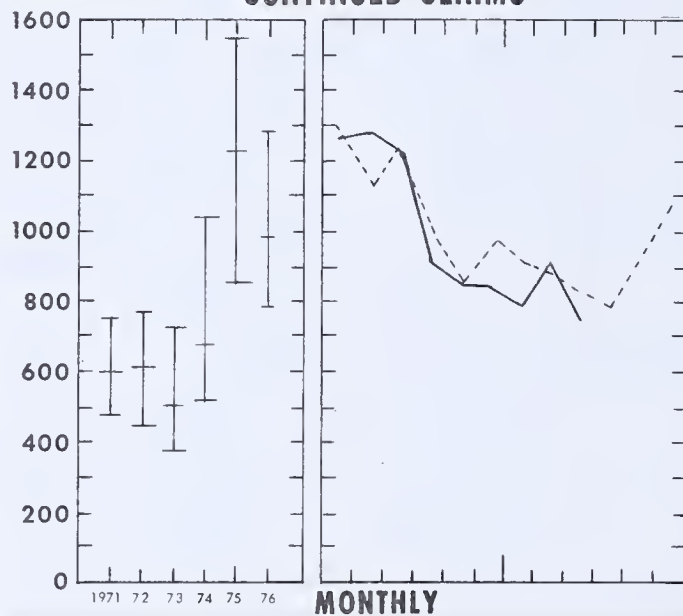
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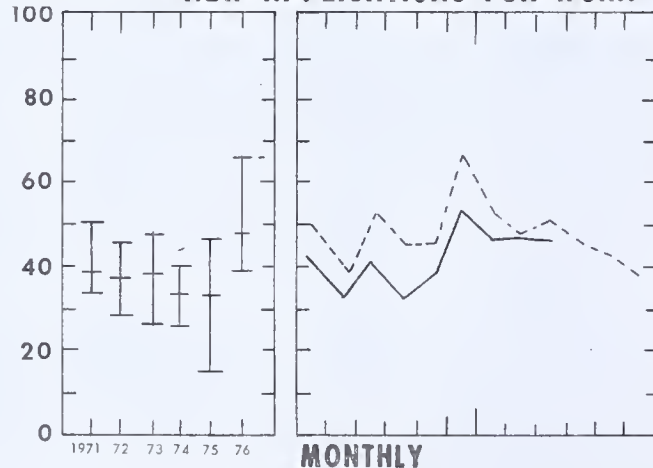
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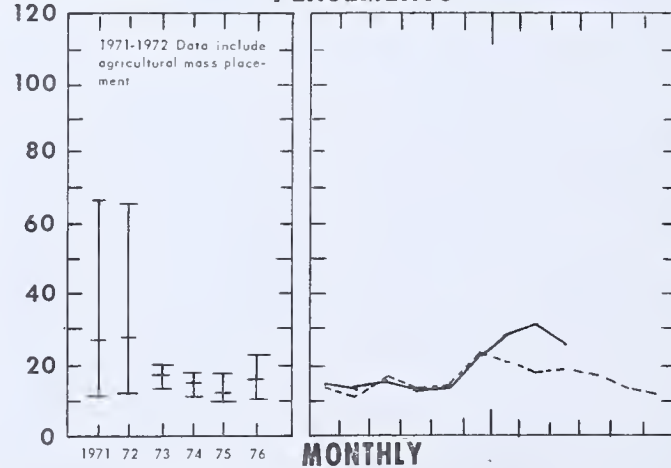
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## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of October 31, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,346,828,883	Applications for Work Taken .....	INA
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,762,294	Job Placements Made .....	INA b/
Other Receipts .....	\$1,690,006,570 a/	Employer Reports Received .....	29,805,835
Total Receipts .....	\$9,536,597,747 a/	Wage Records Received .....	525,891,748
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,438,787,095	No. UC Payments Made* .....	241,908,393
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,490,531
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$278,651,338	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,734,045
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$131,912,518		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

Labor Force Statistics-September 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,062,600
Total Employment .....	4,768,600
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,547,000
Total Unemployment .....	294,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5.8

Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,113.2 million (last 12 mos.) c/
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,119.4 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$16.8 million (as of 10/31/77) a/
Contribution Rate .....	3.17% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.58% (last 12 mos.)

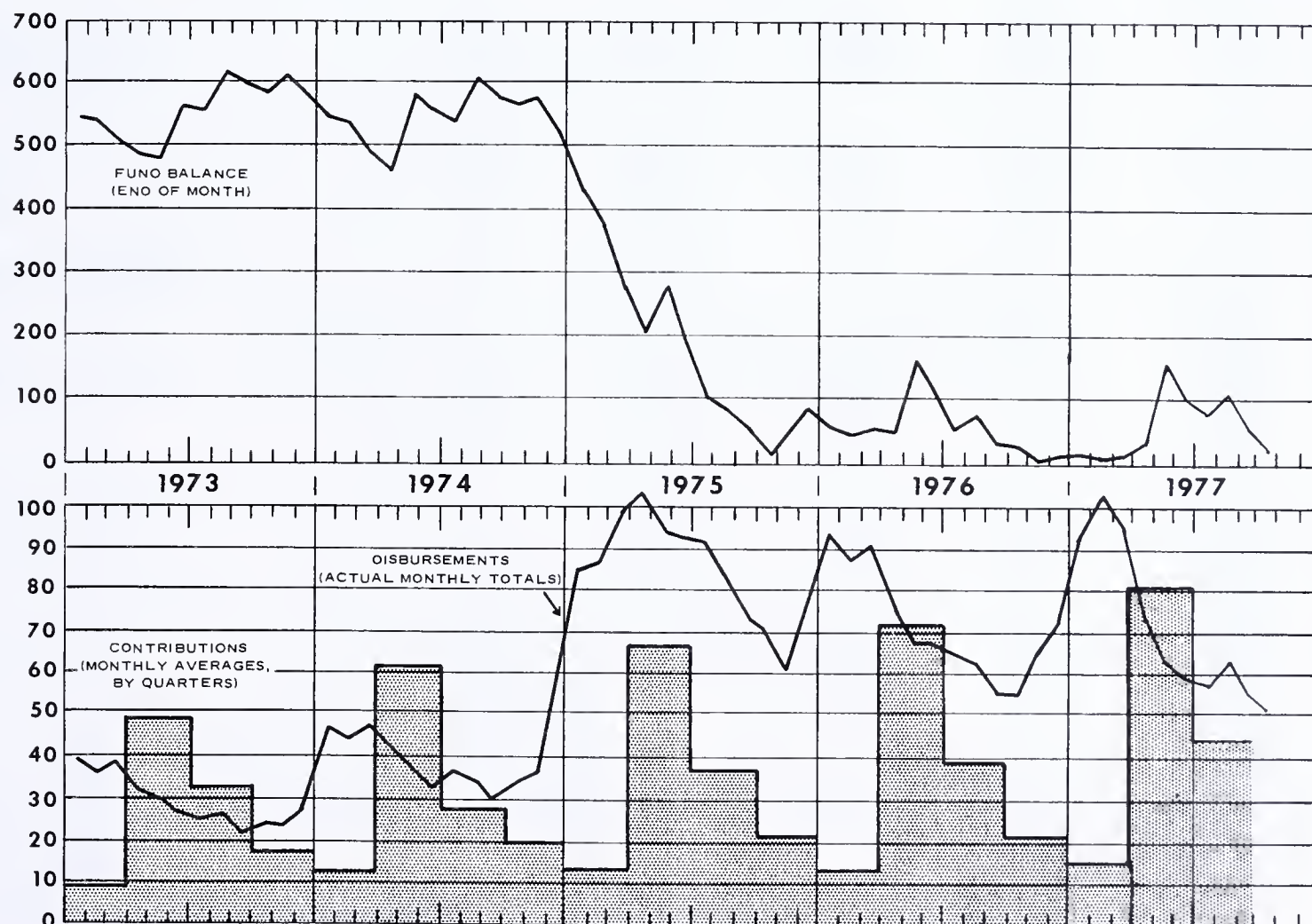
U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,807,157 (12 mo. avg.) d/
Employers .....	194,317 (as of 9/30/77)
Total Wages .....	\$41.5 billion per yr. d/
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.3 billion per yr. d/

- a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$847,295,925.  
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c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$382,561,100.  
d/ 12-month period April 1976-March 1977.

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## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

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DATA ON EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES ARE TEMPORARILY UNAVAILABLE.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	October 1977	September 1977	October 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$30,651,306	\$18,740,730	\$73,870,940	\$923,278,633	\$961,451,318	- 4.0
Contributions	16,901,306	4,251,153	15,570,940	436,461,404	391,963,281	+11.4
Interest	0	344,577	0	344,577	-11,215	*
Other	13,750,000	14,145,000	58,300,000	486,472,652	569,499,252	-14.6
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$51,224,938	\$56,267,062	\$54,582,112	\$720,217,061	\$720,067,361	<sup>5/</sup>
Net Amount	50,747,392	55,503,929	54,325,068	714,743,238	717,191,711	- 0.3
Total Unemployment	47,912,324	52,558,801	50,967,056	673,256,599	676,814,933	- 0.5
Partial Unemployment	3,312,614	3,708,261	3,615,056	46,960,462	43,252,428	+ 8.6
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,791,335	\$9,828,056	\$9,969,069	\$87,111,601	\$102,148,060	-14.7
Federal Supplementary Benefits	6,727,797	6,806,437	15,881,665	119,901,735	205,184,480	-41.6
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	4,222,794	6,163,615	4,744,867	43,214,177	52,968,929	-18.4
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-830,448,699 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-794,833,481 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-441,773,766 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-830,448,699 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-441,773,766 <sup>4/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	33,855	31,398	41,878	574,887	537,893	+ 6.9
EB	10,558	13,513	13,476	124,786	152,332	-18.1
FSB	9,216	7,461	12,359	88,399	117,188	-24.6
SUA	2,522	3,484	3,798	37,282	66,608	-44.0
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	595,297	661,322	665,975	8,402,558	8,846,980	- 5.0
EB	102,299	115,465	123,507	1,033,111	1,265,117	-18.3
FSB	77,573	78,443	195,888	1,409,214	2,555,276	-44.9
SUA	56,763	81,603	78,654	647,933	940,817	-31.1
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	591,111	656,220	660,348	8,335,769	8,779,957	- 5.1
Partial Unemployment	512,875	572,814	571,664	7,308,244	7,762,969	- 5.9
Average Weekly Number	78,236	83,406	88,684	1,027,525	1,016,988	+ 1.0
	140,741	149,141	157,226	194,761	202,303	- 3.7
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$86.66	\$85.74	\$82.66	\$86.40	\$82.01	+ 5.4
Partial Unemployment	93.42	91.76	89.16	92.12	87.19	+ 5.7
	42.34	44.46	40.76	45.70	42.53	+ 7.5
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	10,152	13,178	13,009	122,253	149,134	-18.0
EB	10,761	8,561	13,420	95,547	121,957	-21.7
FSB	3,778	3,542	5,621	36,010	70,665	-49.0
SUA	301	322	599	5,379	4,684	+14.8
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	107,506	93,649	131,218	1,353,070	1,307,507	+ 3.5
Additional	52,883	39,886	63,866	692,522	676,618	+ 2.4
	54,623	53,763	67,352	660,548	630,889	+ 4.7
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	49,139	39,536	61,752	687,120	686,225	+ 0.1
Ineligible	36,353	32,539	44,889	553,462	541,625	+ 2.2
	12,786	6,997	16,863	133,658	144,600	- 7.6
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
	698,768	720,414	759,421	9,255,000	9,578,845	- 3.4
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>						
Applications	28,132	28,307	34,175	318,819	368,228	-13.4
Continued Claims	3,176	3,237	3,738	32,752	36,915	-11.3
	24,956	25,070	30,437	286,067	331,313	-13.7
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	28,251	29,110	44,218	347,263	464,131	-25.2
Continued Claims	4,617	4,502	4,889	48,517	49,931	- 2.8
	23,634	24,608	39,329	298,746	414,200	-27.9
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>						
	3,148	3,804	4,481	37,778	33,312	+13.4
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>						
	56	62	62	612	552	+10.9
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
	NA	194,317	191,732	NA	191,732	--

\* Percentage change not applicable.

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-OCTOBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Apparel Mfg.	15,120	135,459	11.2
Construction	18,003	178,562	10.1
Leather Products	1,926	20,577	9.4
Coal Mining	3,005	39,607	7.6
Textile Products	3,005	50,316	6.0
Retail Apparel	2,711	46,651	5.8
Misc. Manufacturing	1,375	27,877	4.9
Transp. Equipment	3,108	66,964	4.6
Business Services	4,612	101,960	4.5
Amusement & Rec.	1,402	32,317	4.3
Rubber & Plastics	1,506	35,393	4.3
Food Products	4,225	100,572	4.2

\* Most recent 12-month average.

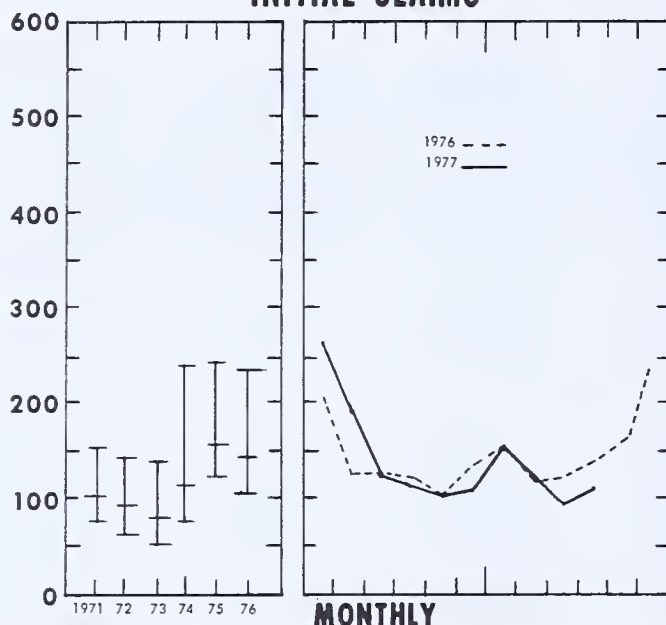
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity*	February 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,626,056	\$29,179,223
Gross Amount	2,693,958	29,617,760
Total Unemployment	2,621,572	28,731,551
Benefit Payments-Total No.	30,135	364,571
Weeks Compensated	29,636	358,875
Total Unemployment	28,323	341,872
Average Payment	\$90.90	\$82.53
First Payments	1,503	15,527
Final Payments	513	7,088
Initial Claims	2,346	23,185
Continued Claims	32,096	358,494
Benefit Appeals Received	135	1,023

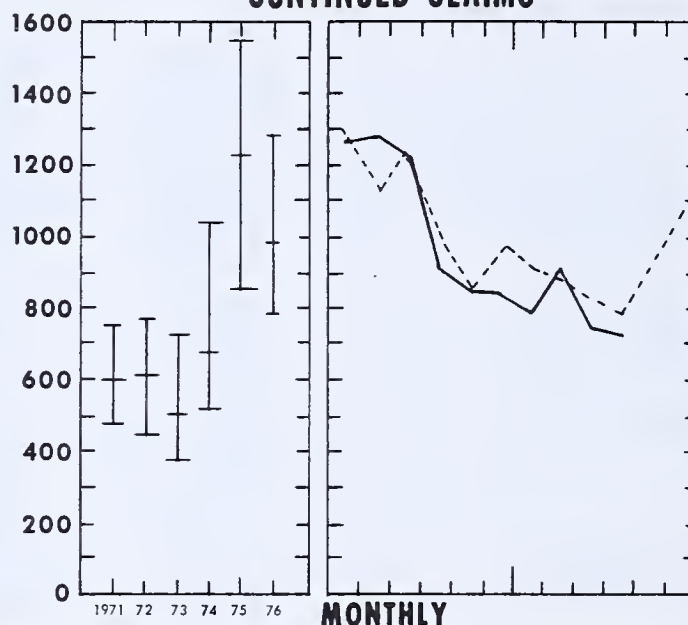
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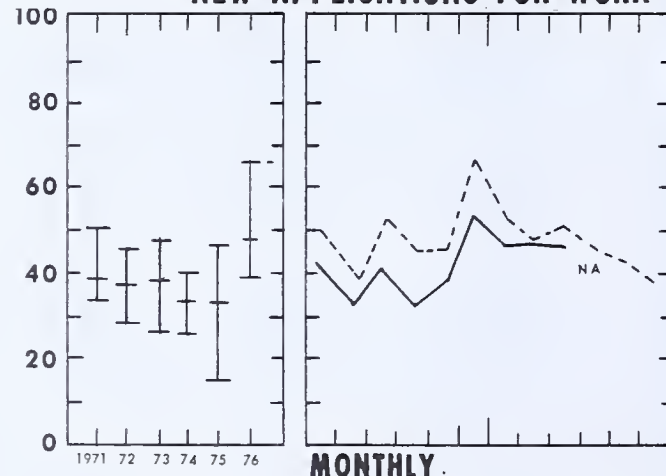
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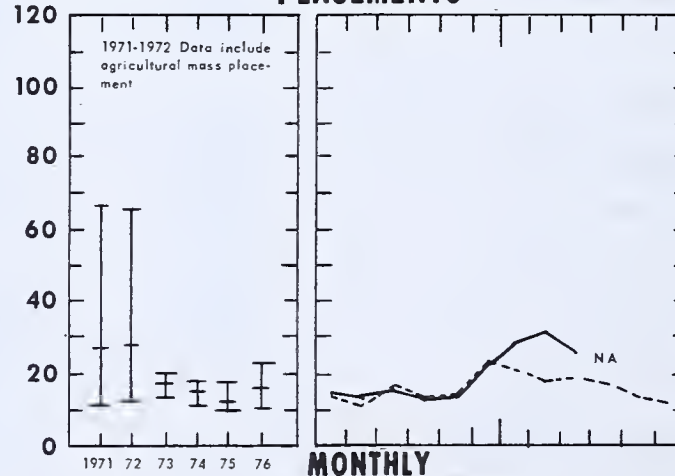
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NOVEMBER 1977

**THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977**

As of November 30, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,395,045,037	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,659,062
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,762,294	Job Placements Made .....	14,964,767 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,710,406,570 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,928,508
Total Receipts .....	\$9,605,213,901 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	527,213,354
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,509,561,760	No. UC Payments Made* .....	242,723,894
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,512,753
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$280,682,778	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,752,632
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$133,378,545		

\* Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

**KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS**

Labor Force Statistics-October 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,067,400
Total Employment .....	4,783,400
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,570,500
Total Unemployment .....	284,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5.6

Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,109.4 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,095.7 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$14.7 million (as of 11/30/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	3.20% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.53% (last 12 mos.)

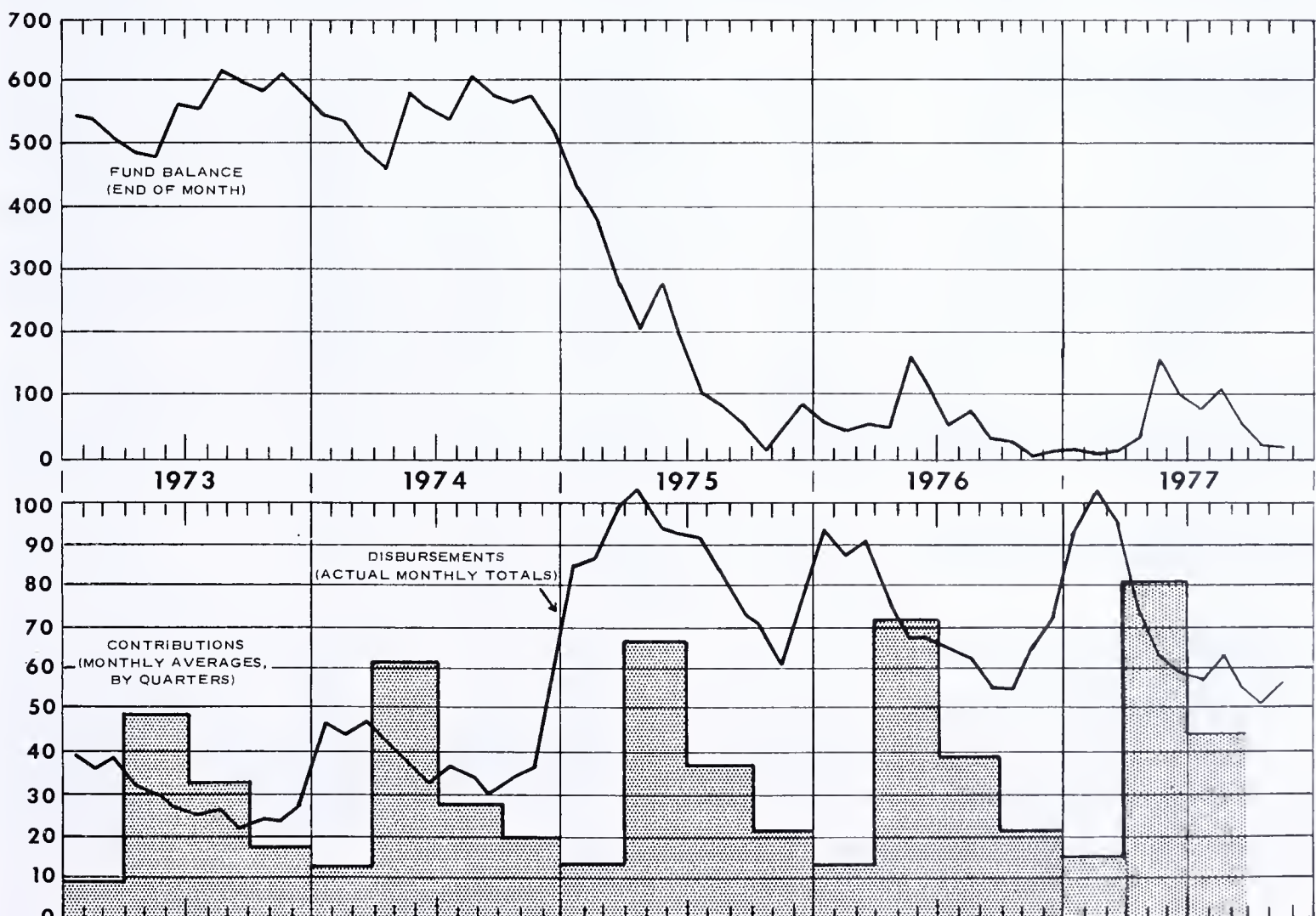
U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,826,950 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	193,560 (as of 11/30/77)
Total Wages .....	\$42.5 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.3 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

- a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$855,295,925.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$390,561,100.  
d/ 12-month period July 1976-June 1977.

Millions of Dollars

**UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES**



## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date <u>2/</u>		% Change
	November 1977	November 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	83,907	88,604	- 5.3
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	395,768	429,856	- 7.9
Disadvantaged	181,645	161,399	+12.5
Black	99,072	98,602	+ 0.5
Handicapped	35,794	36,771	- 2.7
Veteran	73,066	87,958	-16.9
Handicapped Veteran	11,111	12,235	- 9.2
Vietnam Era	8,457	47,048	<u>3/</u>
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	7,935	9,688	-18.1
Disadvantaged	3,595	4,354	-17.4
Black	1,505	2,028	-25.8
Handicapped	1,859	2,299	-19.1
Veteran	2,118	2,963	-28.5
<u>Persons Tested</u>	4,025	3,855	+ 4.4
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	46,082	33,014	+39.6
Nonagricultural	45,687	32,671	+39.8
Agricultural	395	343	+15.2
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	17,625	12,445	+41.6
Nonagricultural	17,553	12,373	+41.9
Agricultural	72	70	+ 2.9
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	31,399	26,744	+17.4
Nonagricultural	31,108	26,458	+17.6
Disadvantaged	10,797	7,510	+43.8
Black	6,196	6,184	+ 0.2
Handicapped	1,943	1,429	+36.0
Veteran	5,412	4,313	+25.5
Handicapped Veteran	781	568	+37.5
Vietnam Era	877	3,022	<u>3/</u>
Short Time - Total	1,597	1,416	+12.8
Disadvantaged	414	299	+38.5
Black	574	442	+29.9
Agricultural	327	314	+ 4.1
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <u>1/</u></u>	34,337	29,470	+16.5
Nonagricultural	33,996	29,160	+16.6
Agricultural	341	310	+10.0
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	7,055	9,467	-25.5
Disadvantaged	2,987	3,621	-17.5
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	19,551	19,676	- 0.6
To Major Employers	5,790	5,715	+ 1.3
Agricultural Employer Visits	576	643	-10.4
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	12,243	12,713	- 3.7

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Fiscal Year October-September.

3/ Figures not comparable due to change in definition of Vietnam ERA vet.



# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	November 1977	October 1977	November 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$68,616,154	\$30,651,306	\$72,451,858	\$991,894,786	\$1,033,903,176	- 4.1
Contributions	48,216,154	16,901,306	44,526,858	484,677,558	436,490,139	+11.0
Interest	0	0	0	344,577	-11,215	
Other	20,400,000	13,750,000	27,925,000	506,872,651	597,424,252	-15.2
<u>UC Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$56,413,714	\$51,224,938	\$65,781,381	\$776,630,775	\$785,848,742	- 1.2
Net Amount	55,870,192	50,747,392	65,354,183	770,613,431	782,545,894	- 1.5
Total Unemployment	52,610,756	47,912,324	61,739,069	725,867,355	738,554,002	- 1.7
Partial Unemployment	3,802,958	3,312,614	4,042,312	50,763,420	47,294,740	+ 7.3
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,131,763	\$8,791,335	\$10,457,196	\$95,243,363	\$112,605,256	-15.4
Federal Supplementary Benefits	6,772,709	6,727,797	18,653,840	126,674,444	223,838,320	-43.4
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	3,496,721	4,222,794	3,991,791	46,710,898	56,960,720	-18.0
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-840,607,209 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-830,448,699 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-463,787,127 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-840,607,209 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-463,787,127 <sup>5/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	38,369	33,855	48,701	613,256	586,594	+ 4.5
EB	11,775	10,558	15,341	136,561	167,673	-18.6
FSB	3,777	9,216	12,528	92,176	129,716	-28.9
SUA	1,704	2,522	2,402	38,986	69,010	-43.5
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	646,051	595,297	788,175	9,048,609	9,635,155	- 6.1
EB	93,117	102,299	129,538	1,126,228	1,394,655	-19.2
FSB	77,721	77,573	226,998	1,486,935	2,782,274	-46.6
SUA	47,430	56,763	62,402	695,363	1,003,219	-30.7
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>						
Total Unemployment	641,900	591,111	783,062	8,977,669	9,563,019	- 6.1
Partial Unemployment	556,438	512,875	684,251	7,864,682	8,447,220	- 6.9
Average Weekly Number	85,462	78,236	98,811	1,112,987	1,115,799	- 0.3
<u>Average Payment</u>						
Total Unemployment	\$87.89	\$86.66	\$84.01	\$86.51	\$82.18	+ 5.3
Partial Unemployment	94.55	93.42	90.23	92.29	87.43	+ 5.6
Average Weekly Number	44.50	42.34	40.91	45.61	42.39	+ 7.6
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	11,572	10,152	14,652	133,825	163,786	-18.3
EB	9,462	10,761	15,158	105,009	137,115	-23.4
FSB	3,848	3,778	5,861	39,858	76,526	-47.9
SUA	294	301	461	5,673	5,145	+10.3
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>						
New	123,809	107,506	155,136	1,476,879	1,462,643	+ 1.0
Additional	57,284	52,883	70,247	749,806	746,865	+ 0.4
Continued Claims	66,525	54,623	84,889	727,073	715,778	+ 1.6
<u>Financial Determinations</u>						
Eligible	54,689	49,139	65,464	741,809	751,689	- 1.3
Ineligible	44,041	36,353	51,247	597,503	592,872	+ 0.8
Continued Claims	10,648	12,786	14,217	144,306	158,817	- 9.1
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>						
New	764,994	698,768	890,519	10,019,994	10,469,364	- 4.3
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>						
Applications	28,896	28,132	37,104	347,715	405,332	-14.2
Continued Claims	2,939	3,176	4,063	35,691	40,978	-12.9
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>						
Applications	25,957	24,956	33,041	312,024	364,354	-14.4
Continued Claims	30,142	28,251	52,847	377,405	516,978	-27.0
Benefit Appeals Received	4,758	4,617	6,655	53,275	56,586	- 5.9
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	25,384	23,634	46,192	324,130	460,392	-29.6
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>						
Benefit Appeals Received	3,445	3,148	3,809	41,223	37,121	+11.1
Employer Charge Relief Appeals	61	56	50	673	602	+11.8
Number Liable Employers	193,560	193,836	191,972	193,560	191,972	+ 0.8

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# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-NOVEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	20,360	180,515	11.3
Apparel Mfg.	14,853	134,305	11.1
Coal Mining	3,865	40,127	9.6
Leather Products	1,657	20,180	8.2
Amusement & Rec.	2,105	32,536	6.5
Textile Products	2,972	50,083	5.9
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,150	20,707	5.6
Misc. Manufacturing	1,531	28,029	5.5
Retail Apparel	2,431	46,678	5.2
Transportation Equip.	3,198	69,125	4.6
Truck, & Warehousing	3,037	69,898	4.3
Business Services	4,464	103,849	4.3

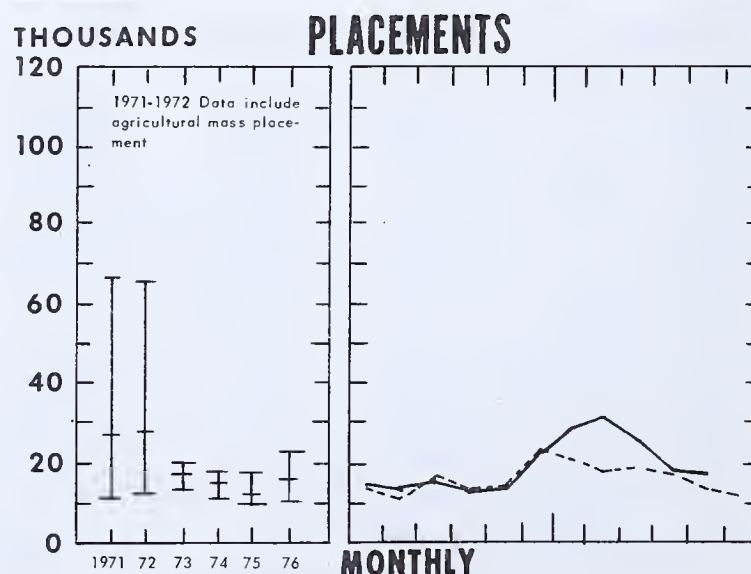
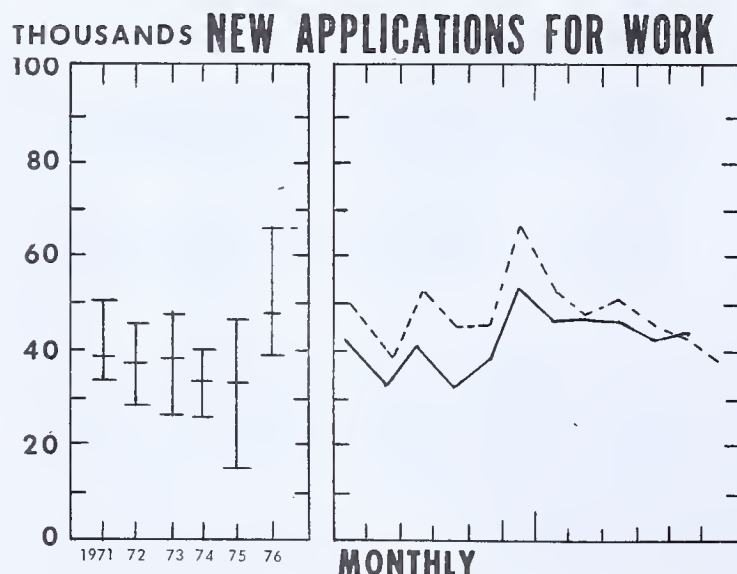
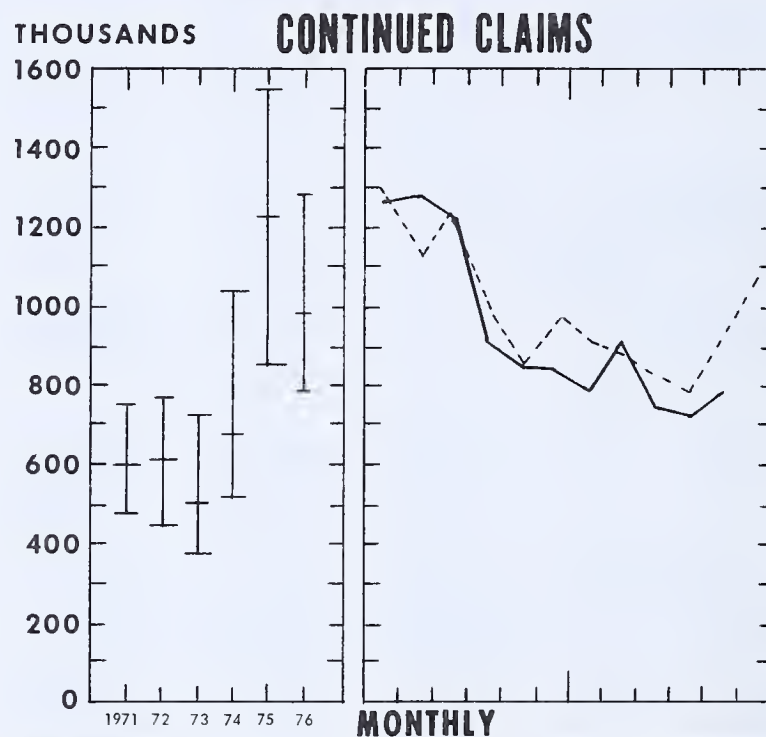
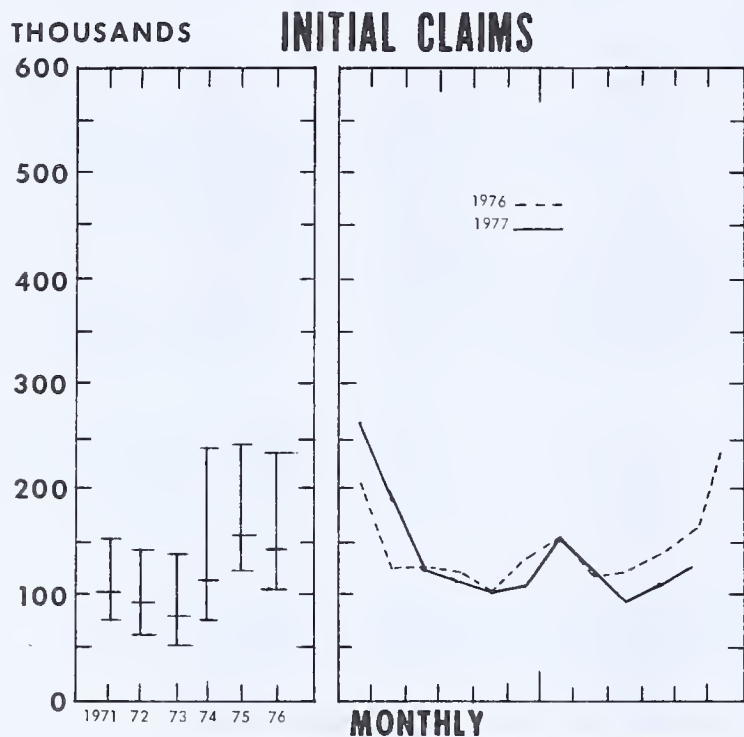
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# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	November 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,766,414	\$31,945,637
Gross Amount	2,804,558	32,422,318
Total Unemployment	2,719,342	31,450,893
Benefit Payments-Total No.	31,054	395,625
Weeks Compensated	30,716	389,591
Total Unemployment	29,183	371,055
Average Payment	\$91.31	\$83.22
First Payments	1,234	16,761
Final Payments	558	7,646
Initial Claims	1,948	25,133
Continued Claims	32,868	391,362
Benefit Appeals Received	120	1,143

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DECEMBER 1977

## THE BUREAU RECORD 1937-1977

As of December 31, 1977

Employer Contributions .....	\$7,398,893,660	Applications for Work Taken .....	21,715,061
Interest on UC Fund .....	\$499,762,294	Job Placements Made .....	14,977,266 <u>b/</u>
Other Receipts .....	\$1,792,136,570 <u>a/</u>	Employer Reports Received .....	29,945,138
Total Receipts .....	\$9,690,792,524 <u>a/</u>	Wage Records Received .....	529,290,640
UC Benefits Paid* .....	\$9,587,955,026	No. UC Payments Made* .....	243,609,110
TUC Debt Paid .....	\$80,963,425	No. UCX Payments Made* .....	5,533,534
UCX Benefits Paid* .....	\$282,769,347	No. UCFE Payments Made* .....	2,770,350
UCFE Benefits Paid* .....	\$134,882,249		

\*Includes Extended Benefits and Federal Supplementary Benefits.

## KEY STATISTICS AND RATIOS

### Labor Force Statistics-November 12, 1977

Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5,072,400
Total Employment .....	4,785,400
Nonfarm Wage and Salary .....	4,586,800
Total Unemployment .....	287,000
% of Total Civilian Labor Force .....	5.7

### Financial Statistics

UC Receipts .....	\$1,077.5 million (last 12 mos.) <u>c/</u>
UC Disbursements .....	\$1,070.9 million (last 12 mos.)
Fund Balance .....	\$21.9 million (as of 12/31/77) <u>a/</u>
Contribution Rate .....	3.20% (last 12 mos.)
Cost Rate .....	5.48% (last 12 mos.)

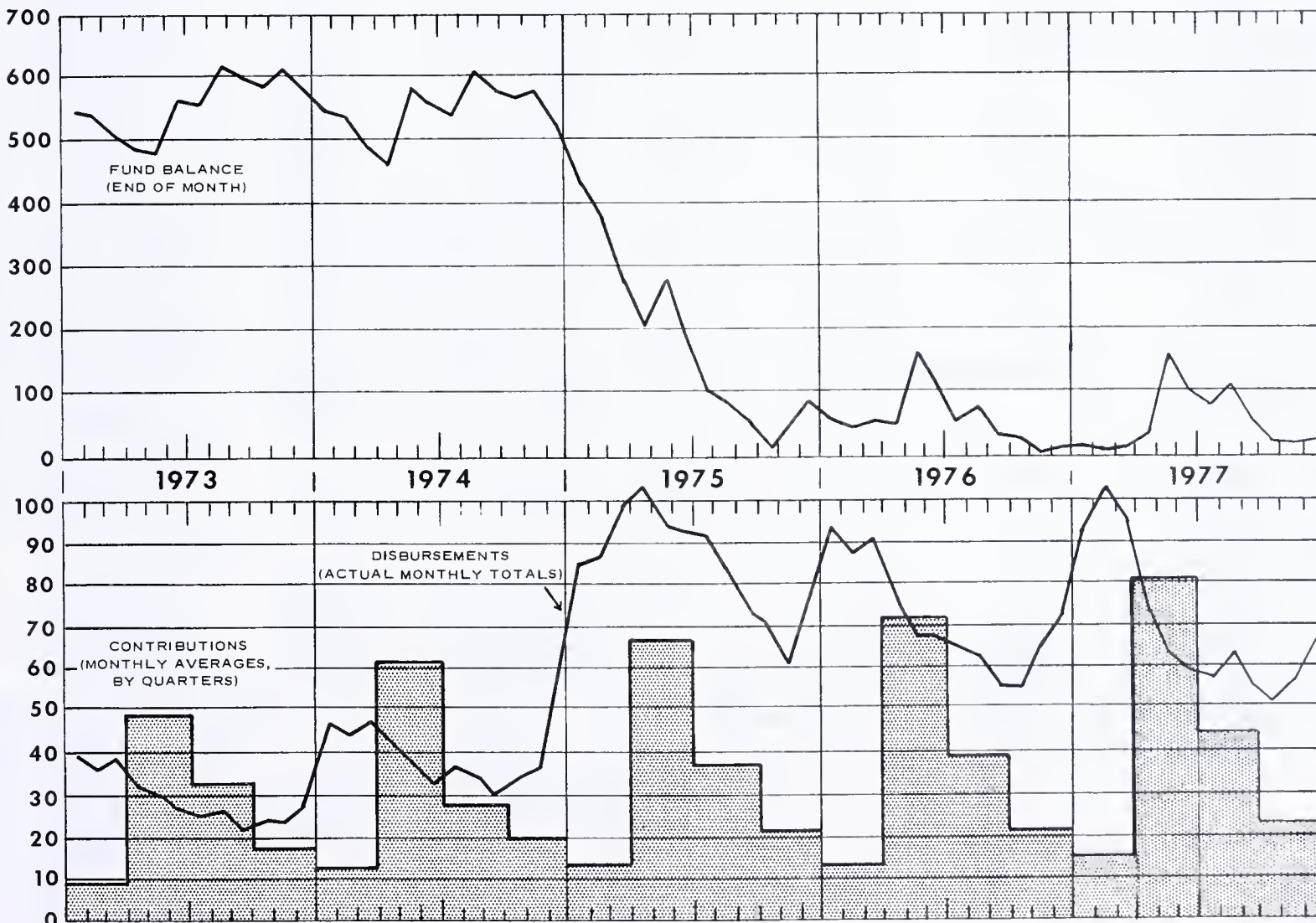
### U.C. Covered Statistics

Employment .....	3,826,950 (12 mo. avg.) <u>d/</u>
Employers .....	194,599 (as of 12/31/77)
Total Wages .....	\$42.5 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>
Taxable Wages .....	\$15.3 billion per yr. <u>d/</u>

a/ Includes Federal Loans of \$926,295,925.  
b/ Includes Mass Placements.  
c/ Includes Federal Loans of \$373,298,434.  
d/ 12-month period July 1976 - June 1977.

Millions of Dollars

## UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FINANCES





## EMPLOYMENT SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Activities	Fiscal Year to Date <u>3/</u>		% Change
	December 1977	December 1976	
<u>New Applicants</u>	123,172	128,157	- 3.9
<u>Applicants Available - Total</u>	445,599	477,919	- 6.8
Disadvantaged	192,524	174,334	+10.4
Black	107,300	106,695	+ 0.6
Handicapped	40,012	40,686	- 1.7
Veteran	82,926	97,572	-15.0
Handicapped Veteran	12,576	13,528	- 7.0
Vietnam Era <u>2/</u>	11,578	52,370	<u>2/</u>
<u>Individuals Counseled - Total</u>	11,750	13,937	-15.7
Disadvantaged	5,159	6,288	-18.0
Black	2,239	2,791	-19.8
Handicapped	2,737	3,335	-17.9
Veteran	3,221	4,466	-27.9
<u>Persons Tested</u>	7,154	5,623	+27.2
<u>Openings Received - Total</u>	64,929	48,122	+34.9
Nonagricultural	64,462	47,729	+35.1
Agricultural	467	393	+18.8
<u>Openings Unfilled - Total (End of Current Month)</u>	14,948	10,107	+47.9
Nonagricultural	14,894	10,069	+47.9
Agricultural	54	38	+42.1
<u>Individuals Placed - Total</u>	43,896	37,909	+15.8
Nonagricultural	43,584	37,597	+15.9
Disadvantaged	13,797	10,621	+29.9
Black	8,600	8,951	- 3.9
Handicapped	2,749	1,957	+40.5
Veteran	7,806	5,995	+30.2
Handicapped Veteran	1,136	792	+43.4
Vietnam Era <u>2/</u>	1,464	4,201	<u>2/</u>
Short Time - Total	2,041	1,870	+ 9.1
Disadvantaged	500	391	+27.9
Black	719	576	+24.8
Agricultural	367	351	+ 4.6
<u>Placements - Total (No. of Transactions) <u>1/</u></u>	48,855	42,595	+14.7
Nonagricultural	48,469	42,246	+14.7
Agricultural	386	349	+10.6
<u>Job Development Contacts - Total</u>	10,568	13,344	-20.8
Disadvantaged	4,179	5,022	-16.8
<u>Employer Services:</u>			
Nonagricultural Employer Visits	27,652	28,151	- 1.8
To Major Employers	8,324	8,380	- 0.7
Agricultural Employer Visits	680	837	-18.8
Nonagricultural Employer Telephone Contacts	19,555	19,530	+ 0.1

1/ Includes Mass Placements such as day haul, etc.

2/ Not comparable due to change in definition of Vietnam ERA Veteran.

3/ Fiscal Year October - September.

# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITIES <sup>1/</sup>

Activity	December 1977	November 1977	December 1976	Year to Date		% Change
				1977	1976	
<u>Receipts - Total</u>	\$85,578,623	\$68,616,154	\$117,514,051	\$1,077,473,410	\$1,151,417,227	- 6.4
Contributions	3,848,623	48,216,154	3,726,385	488,526,181	440,216,534	+11.0
Interest	0	0	0	344,577	-11,215	*
Other	81,730,000	20,400,000	113,787,666	588,602,652	711,211,918	-17.2
<u>Uc Benefit Payments</u>						
Gross Amount	\$66,171,853	\$56,413,714	\$73,967,614	\$842,802,628	\$859,816,356	- 2.0
Net Amount	65,909,461	55,870,192	73,510,838	836,522,891	856,056,732	- 2.3
Total Unemployment	60,722,560	52,610,756	68,544,765	786,589,915	807,098,767	- 2.5
Partial Unemployment	5,449,293	3,802,958	5,422,849	50,212,713	52,717,589	+ 0.6
<u>Net Benefits</u>						
Extended Benefits	\$8,087,293	\$8,131,763	\$10,425,118	\$103,330,656	\$123,030,374	-16.0
Federal Supplementary Benefits	4,396,513	6,772,709	19,200,625	131,070,957	243,038,945	-46.1
Special Unemployment Assistance <sup>2/</sup>	3,227,315	3,496,721	4,070,558	49,938,213	61,031,278	-18.2
<u>Fund - End of Month</u>	\$-904,421,852 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-840,607,209 <sup>3/</sup>	\$-537,672,323 <sup>5/</sup>	\$-904,421,852 <sup>4/</sup>	\$-537,672,323 <sup>5/</sup>	*
<u>First Payments</u>						
UC	58,854	38,369	63,594	672,110	650,188	+ 3.4
EB	11,813	11,775	14,149	148,374	181,822	-18.4
FSB	202	3,777	12,045	92,378	141,761	-34.8
SUA	1,927	1,704	3,170	40,913	72,180	-43.3
<u>Total Number Benefit Payments</u>						
UC	745,374	646,051	887,766	9,793,983	10,522,921	- 6.9
EB	93,386	93,117	123,454	1,219,614	1,518,109	-19.7
FSB	50,465	77,721	232,101	1,537,400	3,014,375	-49.0
SUA	45,192	47,430	64,516	740,555	1,067,735	-30.6
<u>Weeks Compensated</u>	740,175	641,900	881,953	9,717,844	10,444,972	- 7.0
Total Unemployment	632,935	556,438	757,385	8,497,617	9,204,605	- 7.7
Partial Unemployment	107,240	85,462	124,568	1,220,227	1,240,367	- 1.6
Average Weekly Number	168,222	145,886	191,729	188,330	199,332	- 5.5
<u>Average Payment</u>	\$89.40	\$87.89	\$83.87	\$86.73	\$82.32	+ 5.4
Total Unemployment	95.94	94.55	90.50	92.57	87.68	+ 5.6
Partial Unemployment	50.81	44.50	43.53	46.07	42.50	+ 8.4
<u>Final Payments</u>						
UC	10,926	11,572	13,608	144,751	177,394	-18.4
EB	7,364	9,462	12,004	112,373	149,119	-24.6
FSB	3,762	3,848	5,305	43,620	81,831	-46.7
SUA	209	294	420	5,882	5,565	+ 5.7
<u>Applications - Intrastate</u>	202,317	123,809	233,106	1,679,196	1,695,749	- 1.0
New	103,489	57,284	114,543	853,295	861,408	- 0.9
Additional	98,828	66,525	118,563	825,901	834,341	- 1.0
<u>Financial Determinations</u>	91,126	54,689	101,534	832,935	853,223	- 2.4
Eligible	76,732	44,041	85,119	674,235	677,991	- 0.6
Ineligible	14,394	10,648	16,415	158,700	175,232	- 9.4
<u>Claims - Intrastate</u>	891,380	764,994	1,037,139	10,911,374	11,506,503	- 5.2
<u>Interstate - Penna. Agent</u>	29,445	28,896	39,690	377,160	445,022	-15.3
Applications	3,195	2,939	4,042	38,886	45,020	-13.6
Continued Claims	26,250	25,957	35,648	338,274	400,002	-15.4
<u>Interstate - Penna. Liable</u>	32,281	30,142	51,128	409,686	568,106	-27.9
Applications	5,074	4,758	5,723	58,349	62,309	- 6.4
Continued Claims	27,207	25,384	45,405	351,337	505,797	-30.5
<u>Benefit Appeals Received</u>	3,180	3,445	4,841	44,403	41,962	+ 5.8
<u>Employer Charge Relief Appeals</u>	35	61	70	708	672	+ 5.4
<u>Number Liable Employers</u>	194,599	193,560	192,788	194,599	192,788	+ 0.9

\* Percentage change not applicable.

<sup>1/</sup> Unless otherwise indicated, all data are for Regular UC only.

<sup>2/</sup> SUA payments are not part of the Fund Activity.

<sup>3/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$855,295,925.

<sup>4/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$926,295,925.

<sup>5/</sup> Excludes Federal Loans totaling \$552,997,491.

# RATIO OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY-DECEMBER

Industry	Average Weekly Payments	Covered Employ- ment *	Payments as Percent of Employment
Construction	32,338	180,515	17.9
Coal Mining	5,513	40,127	13.7
Apparel Mfg.	16,959	134,305	12.6
Lumber & Wood Prod.	1,909	20,707	9.2
Leather Products	1,613	20,180	8.0
Amusement & Rec.	2,570	32,536	7.9
Textile Products	3,645	50,083	7.3
Misc. Manufacturing	1,712	28,029	6.1
Hotels & Other Lod. Pl.	2,441	46,121	5.3
Trucking & Warehousing	3,688	69,898	5.3
Fab. Metal Products	5,709	112,545	5.1
Transportation Equip.	3,085	69,125	4.5

\* Most recent 12-month average.

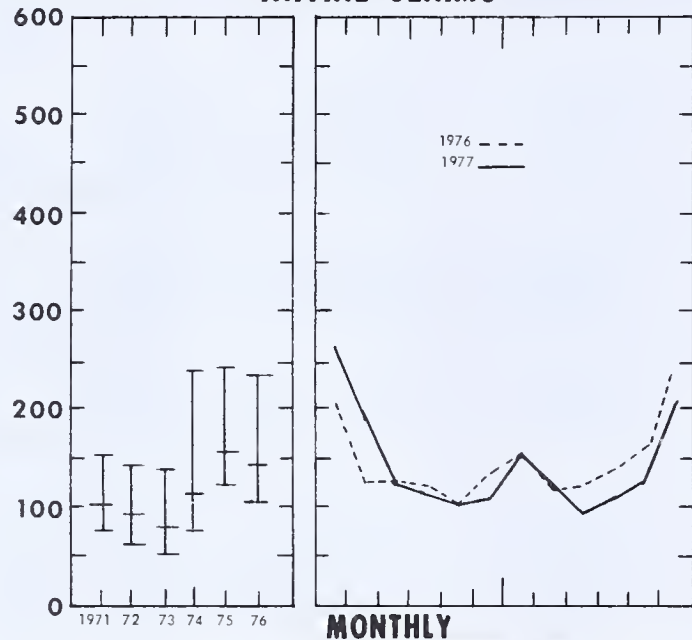
# UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION ACTIVITY FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES AND EX-SERVICEMEN

Activity *	December 1977	1977 To Date
Disbursements - Net	\$2,973,514	\$34,919,152
Gross Amount	3,009,584	35,431,903
Total Unemployment	2,924,535	34,375,428
Benefit Payments-Total No.	30,285	425,910
Weeks Compensated	29,933	419,524
Total Unemployment	28,466	399,521
Average Payment	\$100.54	\$84.46
First Payments	1,378	18,139
Final Payments	508	8,154
Initial Claims	2,337	27,470
Continued Claims	32,200	423,562
Benefit Appeals Received	104	1,247

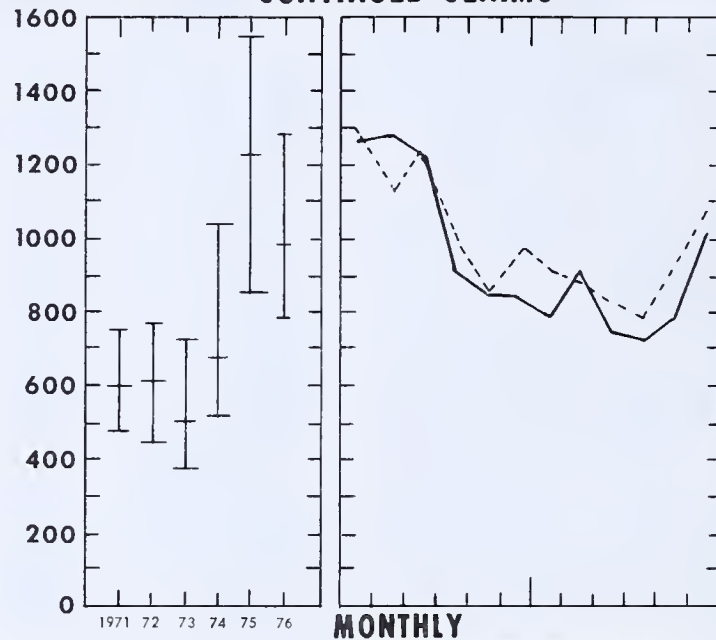
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## ACTIVITIES IN LOCAL OFFICES 1971 TO DATE

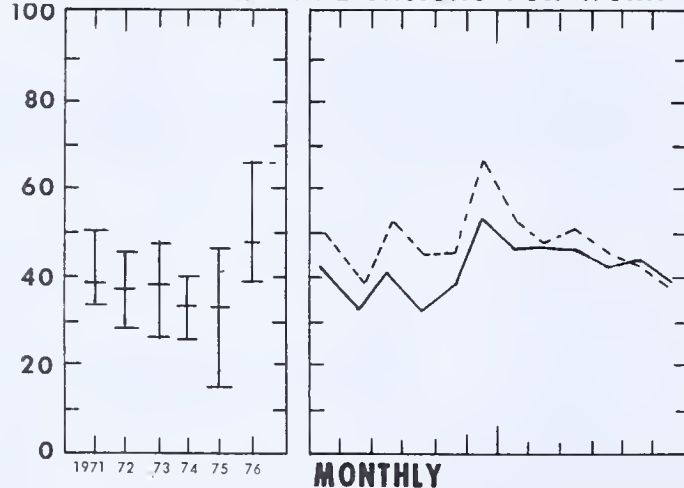
THOUSANDS INITIAL CLAIMS



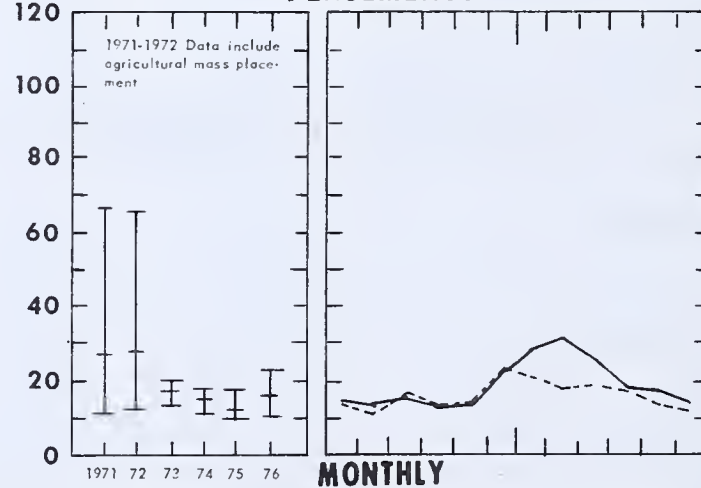
THOUSANDS CONTINUED CLAIMS



THOUSANDS NEW APPLICATIONS FOR WORK



THOUSANDS PLACEMENTS



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